

WALL STREET STOCKS TURN REACTIONARY AFTER NEW HIGHS MADE

Advances of 1 to 8 Points
Cut Down or Wiped Out
and Losses of 1 to 9
Points Shown in List.

CALL MONEY EASES,
TIME RATE FIRM

More Than 100 Issues
Reach 1930 Top Levels
as Ticker Falls 45 Min-
utes Behind Market.

NEW YORK, March 25.—The stock market turned reactionary after an afternoon trading today after an earlier outburst of buying had carried more than 100 issues to new high levels for the year. Reaction was in heavy volume, the day's gains crossing the 4,500,000 share mark for the second time this year. The ticker, after falling about 45 minutes behind the market, ending today, was only about 30 minutes late at the close.

While the reaction was generally characterized as a temporary correction of a top-heavy speculative position, some of the selling also was influenced by the appearance of weakness in the commodity markets. Barish professionals, taking advantage of the long ticker, sold stocks heavily in the last hour. When word was flashed back from the floor to the brokerages that current prices were in many cases, several points away from those appearing on the tape, traders who had built up substantial profits in the recent rise, quickly liquidated part of their speculative holdings.

Vanadium's Range Wide.
Vanadium Steel, which has been the spectacular individual performer during the past week, slipped from an early high of 114, a new peak price, to 114, where it was off 5 points on the day. United States Steel common rose 2 1/2 points, net, after a 10-point advance, to 133 1/2. Bethlehem Steel showed a net gain of 3 1/2 points at 107 1/2 after having advanced a new 1936 peak slightly below level.

**Passage of the tariff bill by the United States Senate, lowering of the call money rate from 4 to 3 1/2 percent and report that operations of the United States Steel Corporation were being maintained at 80 percent of capacity, the first time in three weeks that they had not shown a decline, composed the leading news of the day. Short covering also was an important factor in the advance, particularly in some of the high-priced specialties of which there is a small float-
ing supply.**

Call Money Easier.
While the call money rate dropped from four to three and one-half percent, indicating the passage of the strain incidental to the early mid-month Federal income tax divisions and anticipated new time money rates held firm. All dealers advanced bank acceptance one-eighth of one percent after having made nine successive reductions of similar amount. The asking rate on call money outside was reported as 3 1/2 to 4 percent at the close.

Despite the fact that the February railroad earnings statements were being published, making unfavorable comparison with last year, selling continued in the railroad group. Chicago & Eastern Illinois moved into new high ground on unconfirmed reports that the Van Sweringen interests had acquired the Thomas Fortune estate holdings in that road. The Pacific, Wabash, Frisco common and Lehigh Valley also moved to new high ground.

Commodities Are Lower.
Wheat futures, after an early rise in selling, closing 3/4 to 1/2 cent, a bushel lower. Corn was 1/4 cent, a bushel lower. The market closed about 50 cents higher to 30 cents a bale lower with late selling reported. Futures of old crop positions. Foreign exchanges displayed a further undertone. All of the leading European currencies showing gains. Sterling cables were quoted around \$4.87.

Stock prices, with other financial market news, will be found on Pages 11C, 12C and 13C.

FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW. SLOWLY RISING TEMPERATURE THE TEMPERATURES.

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10 a. m.	58	10 p. m.	58
11 a. m.	58	11 p. m.	58
12 m. m.	58	12 m. n.	58
1 p. m.	58	1 p. m.	58
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12 m. n.	58	12 m. n.	58

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; lowest temperature tonight about 28; slowly rising temperature tomorrow.

Missouri: Unsettled tonight; possibly local snows; tomorrow partly cloudy to cloudy, possibly snow in northeast portion; continued cold.

Illinois: Snow tonight and possibly tomorrow morning; continued cold.

Sunrise, 6:17; sunset (tomorrow), 5:55.
Stage of the Mississippi, 11.6 feet, a fall of 0.2.

U. S. NAVAL DELEGATES ATTEND ROYAL PARTY

King and Queen Give First Affair of Its Kind Since 1925

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, March 25.—American delegates to the naval conference and their wives, with the leaders of other delegations, were among the 200 guests who attended the royal afternoon party at Buckingham Palace today.

The party was the first of its type given by the King and Queen since 1925. King George in morning clothes, and Queen Mary wearing an afternoon gown, stood at the entrance to the picture gallery, shaking hands with the guests, as they reached the top of the crimson carpeted grand staircase after their names had been announced by the Lord Chamberlain.

This was the only ceremonial and the party afterward took on an informal nature, the King and Queen strolling among the guests and chatting.

TRAFFIC ON LINCOLN DRIVE, TO BE STOPPED FOR 3 MONTHS
Vehicles to Be Diverted Because of Work on Western End of the River

Traffic in Lincoln drive, on the north side of Forest Park, between De Baliviere avenue and Skinker boulevard, will be stopped for about three months, beginning next week, because of construction work on the western end of the River des Peres sewer. Vehicles will be detoured a short distance to the south over an adjacent park drive.

Cables for an electric trolley to be used by the sewer contractor will cross Lincoln and it would be dangerous to permit traffic beneath the iron bridge carrying Lincoln drive across the stream will be removed soon. It was installed before the World's Fair of 1904.

Except for one or two small steam shovels in the excavation, the sewer contractor, Stivers Bros. Construction Co., will use electrical machinery. This will tend to reduce noise.

EIELSON TRIBUTE IN SENATE

Nye Commends Life and Character of Late Arctic Flyer

WASHINGTON, March 25.—A brief tribute to Carl Ben Eielson, Arctic flyer, who lost his life in the frozen North in an attempt to rescue passengers on an ice-bound ship, was paid in the Senate today by Senator Nye (Rep., North Dakota).

Describing Eielson, who was from North Dakota, as having had "a splendid life and a splendid character," Nye placed in the Congressional record a history of the Arctic explorer, published in a North Dakota newspaper. He also read a letter he had received from Sir Hubert Wilkins, explorer, who described Eielson as one of the great pioneers of Arctic flying.

Nye urged that the Senate adopt as soon as possible his resolution calling for the naming of a mountain peak in Alaska after the explorer.

Jimmie Was a Favorite
At high school he had been in the orchestra.

Later he used his music on many occasions, making new friends.

Learning to play some instruments gives most boys and girls added enjoyment.

The Post-Dispatch Classified Columns told where to find instructors, also used instruments at economy prices.

Or call MAin 1111 to phone your Want ad.

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That Lure Helped in Disposing of \$300,000 in Preferred Stock of Company Started With \$5000

ALL OF FIRM'S
63 OFFICES SHUT

Relicensed by "Blue Sky" Commissioner in Spite of Protests by Better Business Bureau.

With eight suits for receivership and bankruptcy filed against the collapsed brokerage firm at St. Louis, W. H. Young & Bros., Inc., security brokerage firm, founded on a \$5000 investment three years ago and expanded until it had sold \$300,000 of its own preferred stock and several millions of dollars' worth of other securities to the public, overnight developments were:

Twelve per cent dividends, payable at the rate of 1 per cent a month, constituted the bait for purchasers of preferred stock.

Francis Emmett Williams, appointed Federal receiver, took charge of the business today, succeeding W. Blodgett Priest, appointed receiver in Circuit Court at Clayton yesterday at the instance of the company.

Business has been suspended at the 63 offices of the company, throwing most of the 365 employees out of work.

Re-licensed Despite Protest.
"Blue Sky" Commissioner Stockard at Jefferson City renewed the license of the firm and its salesmen as a matter of routine the first of the year, despite the request of the St. Louis Better Business Bureau that he hold up the license until he had made an examination of the firm's books for the protection of the public.

Allegations of customers that they failed to obtain delivery of stock certificates for which they paid some time ago.

State receiver appointed today for Industrial Holding Corporation, one of several affiliated organizations dominated by the Young brothers.

Retention of William Baer, criminal attorney, to defend William H. and Fred C. Young, president and vice president of the brokerage houses, in the prosecution pending against them in Barton County.

Presentation of case to Post-office inspectors, who will determine whether there was misuse of the mails in the company's sales campaigns.

Reports of lavish expenditures by the officers of the firm, with liquor, cards and dice at the staffs' "prey" meetings.

The Young brothers absented themselves from their elaborate suite of offices in the Central National Bank Building, and could not be reached by reporters, process servers or customers.

In their high-pressure sales campaigns Young & Bros. featured three attractions: "More than 6 per cent," "Money back if not satisfied," and "Safety first in stocks."

"More than 6 per cent" was explained by some of the salesmen as meaning that the company's per cent cumulative participating preferred stock would entitle the purchasers to participate in the firm's profits up to 12 or 16 per cent.

One Per Cent a Month.
As a matter of fact, according to Edward I. Siegel, the company's counsel, the firm paid 12 per cent on the stock, disbursements of 1 per cent being made every month until last Thursday when the March payment was defaulted, precipitating the avalanche of litigation.

Young preferred stock sales commenced in a big way last summer and \$300,000 worth had been disposed of to the public by the end of the year. President Young informed that the company's sales, which received numerous inquiries and complaints about the firm. The bureau estimates that the company in its three years sold \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000 of its own and other securities, but exact figures are not available.

Catch in "Money Back" Promise.
The 12 per cent dividend on \$300,000 worth of stock necessitated a monthly outlay of \$300,000, which was just "pin money" before the stock crash last fall, but proved too much as the firm's sales continued to drop week after week, with more and more dissatisfied customers demanding their money back.

There was a catch in the "money back" promise made to purchasers.

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Brothers Whose High Dividend Brokerage Business Collapsed



—Photo by George W. Rodden.
WILLIAM H. YOUNG, president of collapsed brokerage firm at St. Louis, Fred C. Young, vice president.

ALTON BOOKMAKER IS KIDNAPED FROM HIS BILLIARD HALL

Charles Conley Forced Into Red Sedan by Two Men—No Ransom Demand, Relatives Say.

Charles Conley, Alton bookmaker, was kidnaped last night under circumstances which indicate that he is in the hands of extortionists, held for ransom.

Although relatives and friends insisted today that no word had been received from Conley or that any demand for money had been made, unconfirmed reports were current in Alton that the kidnappers had asked for \$60,000. Chief of Police Fitzgerald of Alton said he had information which he expected would bring results during the day.

Since extortionists began to prey on St. Louis and East Side gamblers several months ago, Conley anticipated that he would be a victim. He accepted his situation philosophically and took no precautions beyond employing a nephew, William Newman, to take him home each night.

A passerby glimpsed Conley's Rex Billiard Hall, at 108 West Broadway, a half block from the Alton City Hall, at 11 p. m. and observed the proprietor sitting alone in a chair, waiting for a walk reading a newspaper.

Watchman Saw Men Leave.
Fifteen minutes later a night watchman for a nearby construction operation saw three men leave the place. They were definitely one of the men exclaiming and the center man was pushed into a red-painted sedan, which moved rapidly away.

The watchman called a policeman who found the poolroom lighted but deserted. While this inspection was in progress, Newman arrived. He had telephoned Conley's short time before and told him he would be at the pool room at 11:30.

Alton police immediately broadcast an alarm to St. Louis and other communities so that bridges were watched and police were on the alert for a red-painted car. Apparently the kidnappers had watched the poolroom until all of Conley's customers had departed in order to seize him when he was alone. It was assumed that there were at least three or four men in the gang.

Conley, 51 years old, lives at 404 Bluff street, Alton, with his wife and two small daughters. A gambler and bookmaker for more than 20 years, he is generally thought to be wealthy although he seldom spoke of his financial affairs.

Held Up Three Months Ago.
During the recent series of kidnappings in St. Louis and vicinity, which have netted extortionists more than \$100,000, he had spoken of his fears to friends, indicating he would not resist what he regarded as the inevitable. Recently, after a trip to Miami, Fla., with his family, he remarked that "the woods around Miami were full of bookmakers hiding out."

A good-natured, affable man who smiled at persons who criticized his illegal occupation, Conley has been recognized as a man of the underworld.

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PEOPLES BUS CO. STRIKE THOUGHT TO BE NEAR END

Result of Negotiations Will Be Presented to Union Men at a Mass Meeting Tomorrow.

Termination of the strike of 750 employees of the People's Motorbus Co. appears near at hand with the announcement today, following conferences between Richard W. Meade, president of the company, and union officers, that the result of the negotiations will be presented to the strikers at a mass meeting tomorrow.

Neither Meade nor Robert B. Armstrong, chief representative of the strikers, would say definitely that a settlement had been reached. Meade's only statement was that the conference with union leaders, which began last Friday and has continued daily, had adjourned subject to call.

Armstrong, however, said that a full report of the negotiations would be given the men at 10 a. m. tomorrow at Unity Hall, Grand and Page boulevards. Removal of negotiations, he said, would depend on the action of the meeting.

The usual practice in labor disputes is for the leaders to work out a settlement and then present the results to the membership of the union for approval, the course which apparently is being followed in the present strike.

Strike in Twelfth Day.
The strike is in the twelfth day and no effort has been made to operate buses during the period. The employees' demands at this time are for recognition of their union, Local 990 of the Amalgamated Association of Electric Railway Employees and Motorcoach Operators, and the reinstatement of 25 drivers and conductors discharged for union activities.

In the event the union is recognized the question of wages undoubtedly will be brought up later. The wages of employees of the People's Motorbus Co. vary from 50 to 65 cents an hour. Bus drivers for the Public Service Co., who are members of the Street Car Men's Union, receive 78 cents an hour. Both companies are controlled by the City Utilities Co.

France Claims Fastest Warship.
By the Associated Press.
LORENT, France, March 25.—Title of the fastest warship in the world is claimed now for the new French destroyer Blain, which logged 41.7 knots in official trials. This is slightly better than the record established by its sister ship, the Verdun, with 40.18 knots.

EUROPA BETTERS BREMEN'S RECORD ACROSS ATLANTIC

At Ambrose Light in 4 Days, 17 Hours, 6 Minutes From Cherbourg; Cuts Time 18 Minutes.

ROUGH SEAS, STRONG WINDS ALL THE WAY

Newest North German Lloyd Liner Has Accommodations for 2200 Passengers and Crew of 975.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 25.—The newest North German Lloyd liner Europa passed Ambrose lightship at 5:54 a. m. today, having cut 18 minutes from the record time of its sister ship, the Bremen, for the 3100 Atlantic miles between Cherbourg, France, and New York. The Europa crossed in four days, 17 hours, six minutes.

The Europa encountered more difficult weather conditions than the Bremen. Throughout the voyage the ship fought strong head winds and heavy seas.

The Europa closely resembles the Bremen in construction and appearance, the two ships being built under the same broad specifications for size and speed. They are, however, the products of different designers and different shipbuilders.

Both are built low to reduce wind resistance, but the Europa, the construction of which was delayed by two fires, embodies a number of changes from the Bremen design, changes calculated to make the liner speedier and more comfortable.

Steam is developed by oil-fired water-tube boilers. Electric power is generated by four Diesel-driven dynamos supplying current to 450 electric motors and an equal number of auxiliary machines. On the sun deck are two large supplementary Diesel-driven dynamos.

Propeller Vibration Reduced.
To reduce vibration caused by the great engines, two of the four propellers revolve inward. All four on the Bremen revolve outward. The speed of the Europa's turbines also is greater than that of those of the Bremen.

Another change is a device on the two squat funnels designed to force the smoke upward, thus eliminating the danger of its being blown on the decks to the inconvenience of the passengers.

To the layman, however, the chief difference between the two liners will be observed in their interior decoration. The extreme modernistic note of the Bremen has not been followed in the Europa. The main decorations of the Europa are representations of the mythological Graces of Asia. In some places the figure of Europa and the Bull are treated pictorially and in others the figures are carved.

The ship has an overall of 938 feet and a breadth of 101. It has accommodations for 2200 passengers and a crew of 975. On its maiden voyage, however, it carried only 1940 passengers. Lifeboats are all motorized and equipped with radio apparatus. They can accommodate 4100 persons—25 per cent more than the combined number of passengers and crew.

Swimming Pool, Shooting Gallery.
Among the features is a swimming pool, about 20 by 35 feet, strikingly decorated with brightly colored mosaics. Other features are restaurants, a separate library for each class and a shooting gallery that presents the effect of a forest with moving game.

The commander is Capt. Nicolaus Johannes, commodore of the Lloyd fleet. He has been in the service of the company for more than 30 years and until recently commanded the Columbia. He is 61 years old and went to sea at the age of 16.

A heavy fog settled over the lower bay just before the Europa passed Ambrose lightship. At quarantine the German Ambassador, Baron F. W. von Prittwitz and Graf, Dr. Karl von Lewinski, German Consul-General, and North German Lloyd officials boarded the liner from the customs cutter.

The Ambassador went immediately to the bridge and shook hands with Capt. Johannes, and then they retired to the chart room where a broadcasting station had been set up.

Capt. Johannes said the ship had realized all expectations. They spoke over the radio both in German and English.

The fog meanwhile had settled down thicker than ever and it was not until 9:11 o'clock that the big liner left quarantine and proceeded cautiously through the harbor traffic to the Brooklyn pier. A large crowd awaited her there in the rain.

Passengers said that the last day's run must have been made at a faster clip than those before as the big ship shook from stem to stern.

NEW HAVEN WETTER THAN PEORIA, ONCE DISTILLING CENTER

Literary Digest Poll Thus Far Shows 49 of 56 Cities Against Prohibition.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
NEW YORK, March 25.—It seems that New Haven, seat of Yale University, is wetter in sentiment than Peoria, former home of a great distilling industry. New Haven is among the cities whose vote in the Literary Digest poll, to date, shows a preponderance for repeal of the Eighteenth amendment over both the modification and enforcement proposals. Peoria is also for repeal, but not so strongly. Louisville, which likewise had its distilling industry heavily for repeal. The latest city tabulation, issued yesterday by the Digest, is:

City. Enfr. Mod. Rep.
New Haven, Conn. 844 2625 4606
Peoria, Ill. 723 938 1838
Okla. City, Ok. 1479 1078 894
Tulsa, Ok. 1199 973 915
Richmond, Va. 758 1010 2112
Wheeling, W. Va. 436 770 948
Louisville, Ky. 1479 2542 4418
Portland, Me. 812 672 561
Wilmington, Del. 897 729 1694

In the listing of incomplete polls of 56 municipalities, including the foregoing, 49 have shown an excess of wet and "mole" votes over the dry votes.

U. S. NAVY HEAD SAILS TOY YACHTS ON LONDON POOL
Secretary Adams Continues His Favorite Sport With Miniature Craft.

By the Associated Press.
LONDON, March 25.—The chilly weather which continues in England has failed to keep American Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams from his favorite sport—yachting.

While the Secretary's last experience with yachts was when he visited Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock VI at Portsmouth, he has become an enthusiastic over yacht models. Those who stroll along the pond in Kensington Gardens these afternoons frequently halt to watch graceful models perfectly manipulated by a small gray-haired man who operates them with the experience of an old salt. Only a few friends recognize him and they only a few moments in order not to distract his attention.

MICHIGAN GOVERNOR DEFIES U. S. RADIO COMMISSION
Threatens to Arrest Anyone Interfering With Station of Police Radio Transmitter.

By the Associated Press.
LANSING, Mich., March 25.—Answering threats of the Federal Radio Commission in kind, Gov. Green said last night that anyone who attempted to interfere with construction of a State police radio broadcasting station would be arrested.

The statement was made after word came from Washington that the commission, which has refused to grant a permit and a wave channel for the station, had asked the Department of Justice to have its agents in Michigan arrest anyone starting construction of a station.

Bids for building the station were opened by the Governor and Oscar G. Olander, Commissioner of Public Safety.

SUNDAY CLOSING ORDINANCE TO BE STRICTLY ENFORCED
The Sunday closing ordinance for groceries, meat markets, delicatessens and bakeries will be strictly enforced starting next Sunday. Chief of Police George Annenkov, in the name of the representatives of the Retail Grocers' Association, the Meat Dealers' Association and the grocery clerks and meat cutters' unions who called upon Chief yesterday.

Bakeries are permitted by the ordinance to remain open until 9 a. m. and delicatessens and markets and \$20 to \$50 for bakeries.

STOWAWAY'S BEER GIVES OUT
Paul August Million Surrenders to Liner's Officers After Fifth Day. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Wealthy in name only, Paul August Million, 25 years old, has arrived here aboard the North German Lloyd liner, Berlin, unexpectedly—for he had no ticket—on the liner.

With a few sandwiches and a few bottles of Bremen beer, he stowed away in a cargo hold. Beer and sandwiches ended on the fifth day and Million, tired, hungry, crawled out on deck through a ventilator.

Record Transvaal Gold Output.
By the Associated Press.
JOHANNESBURG, Union of South Africa, March 25.—The Transvaal's gold production last year, amounting to approximately \$230,000,000, set a new record, it was announced at the annual meeting of the gold mining executives yesterday. World production of gold was said to be diminishing and there were apprehensions in many quarters that the available gold supply might not be sufficient to enable the gold standard to operate efficiently.

'TRACKLESS TROLLEY' FOR VANDEVENTER IS REJECTED

Public Service Board Unanimously Approves Recommendation of Brooks and Rilliet That Permit Be Denied.

P. S. CO. WILL ACCEPT DECISION

Operation of Buses Will Be Continued—Report Says Attempt Was Made to Avoid Paying Paving Costs.

The application of the Public Service Co. for permission to substitute trackless electric trolleys for gasoline buses on the Vandeventer line, between Chouteau and Natural Bridge avenues, was rejected by the Board of Public Service today.

Acting unanimously, without comment, the board adopted a recommendation against the trackless trolley submitted by two of its members, Director of Streets and Sewers Brooks and Director of Public Utilities Rilliet, to whom the application had been referred. The other board members concurring were President Kinsey, Director of Public Safety Steininger, and Director of Public Welfare Salisbury.

Commenting on the board's action, President Kinsey of the Public Service Co. made it clear that the company has no intention of contesting, but will continue to operate the gasoline buses on Vandeventer.

The Brooks-Rilliet report suggested that the trackless trolley might have a place in St. Louis for extension or feeder service, but not on a line of the character of Vandeventer. This was the first definite proposal of the car company to inaugurate what it regards as a modern and economical form of transportation for lines not carrying the heaviest traffic.

Three reasons are given in the report, which was prepared by Brooks, following an informal hearing last week and a display of motion pictures of the trackless trolley in operation elsewhere.

Brooks declared the principal reason for rejecting the proposed innovation in St. Louis was that the car company would escape the obligation to pay for part of the paving of Vandeventer avenue, although the report held the proposed form of vehicle "amounted to a trolley system without rails." Other reasons were the effect of wires on the appearance of the street and the fear that the trackless trolley would interfere with Vandeventer's growing traffic.

Street Widening Program.
Vandeventer has been widened between Chouteau and Easton avenues and between the alley south of Kennedy avenue and Ashland avenue, and it is to be widened in the stretches between Easton and the alley south of Kennedy and between Ashland and Natural Bridge avenues. Many business men in the vicinity of Vandeventer objected to the trackless trolley scheme for the same reasons given by the report.

The abandonment of the Vandeventer street car line last year was permitted by the State Public Service Commission only on the agreement to substitute buses, the report stated.

"The principal reason, as we see it, for abandonment of the car line," Brooks and Rilliet reported, "was to evade provision of section 2202-4 of the Revised Code. These sections require the car company to pave between its rails and for 12 inches outside of each track.

NAVAL PARLEY ADJOURNMENT FOR 6 MONTHS IS CONSIDERED

Suggestion by Grandi, to End Deadlock and Give France and Italy Time to Negotiate, Would Not Delay 3-Power Pact.

PLENARY SESSION FOR NEXT WEEK

Chief Delegates to Decide Conference Course; MacDonald Wants 5-Nation Treaty "If Humanly and Politically Possible."

By CHARLES G. ROSS,
Chief Washington Correspondent
of the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, March 25.—The American naval conference delegation had before it today the suggestion made last night by Foreign Minister Grandi of Italy to Prime Minister MacDonald that the five-power naval conference be adjourned for six months to give France and Italy opportunity for adjusting differences which have brought the conference to a standstill.

That such a proposal had been made was officially stated today by the British spokesman, but whether it would prove acceptable to the British delegation was not indicated.

This and other suggestions relating to the future of the conference were to be canvassed today by the heads of all five delegations with Jacques-Louis Dumesnil, Minister of Marine, acting for France.

Grandi, in a talk with MacDonald, made clear his idea that the proposed adjournment should be taken without prejudice to negotiations now under way for an American, British and Japanese treaty. He suggested that France and Italy should carry on conversations under the continued chairmanship of MacDonald, with a view to reaching an agreement by which a prospective three-power pact might be expanded upon resumption of the full conference.

The suggestion also carried a provision that, during the six-month period, France and Italy should undertake no new naval building.

MacDonald did not commit himself, but it was understood to have welcomed Grandi's proposal as a constructive contribution toward getting the conference out of the mire.

Plenary Session Next Week to Determine Course.

LONDON, March 25.—The chief naval delegates late today decided to hold a plenary session next week in order to outline the position of the five-power parley and determine its future course on efforts for a treaty acceptable to the five participating nations.

At today's meeting of the heads of the delegations at St. James's Palace, Prime Minister MacDonald stressed the intention of arriving at a five-power pact "if humanly and politically possible."

He urged redoubled efforts on the part of the delegations toward this end.

Grandi's Suggestion Taken Up.

The heads of the five delegations today also took under consideration, in connection with the parley situation as a whole, the suggestion of Foreign Minister Grandi of Italy, to Prime Minister MacDonald, that the naval conference be adjourned six months to escape the present impasse.

It was stated in well-informed conference circles that if adjournment was carried out, it was planned that at least a three-power agreement would be signed between the United States, Great Britain and Japan before the conference quit work.

Probably this agreement would contain some clauses to which France and Italy could subscribe. Adjournment would give them a chance to see if they could compose their differences to a point where they could sign the agreement as a whole.

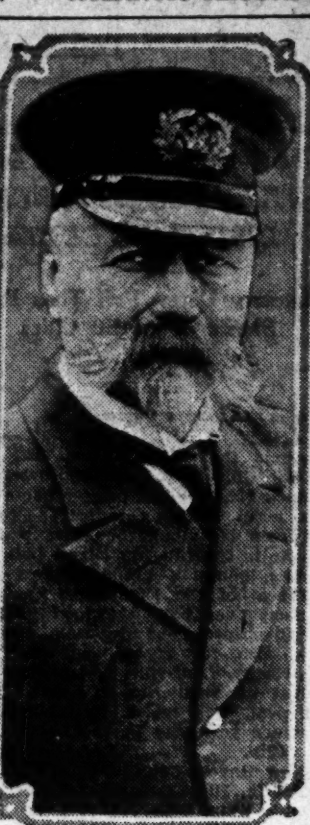
The adjournment would contemplate reassembling of the conference on Oct. 1, thus giving an opportunity for a possible agreement before Christmas.

An objection to an adjournment is noted in some quarters that neither in Great Britain nor France is the existing government certain of tenure and a change of naval policy with an upset in Parliament might take place in either country, further complicating the negotiations.

French Give Assurance.

During the day assurance that the French delegation was ready to proceed with a view to achieving a five-power pact was given the Americans by the French at conference between Ambassador Morre and Jacques-Louis Dumesnil, French Minister of Marine, at American headquarters.

SKIPPER WHO SET ATLANTIC RECORD



CAPT. NICOLAUS JOHNSEN.

gates was confined to discussion of a possible solution of the situation presented by Italy's demand for naval parity with France. Besides taking up the situation from the point where the conversations were broken off when the French returned to Paris last week, it was said Morrow was able to lay before Dumesnil suggestions for settlement of the problem. These suggestions were the result of almost four days of continuing study of the matter by Morrow, while Morrow and Dumesnil were conferring with Prime Minister MacDonald at No. 10 Downing street.

Foreign Minister Briand of France will arrive in London late tomorrow to resume his place at the head of the French delegation.

Long Working Hours and Social Engagements Wear Delegates.

Long working hours and late social engagements are beginning to tell physically upon many of the delegates and experts at the naval conference. The British and the Americans, on whom a large part of the conference burden has been thrown during the past few weeks, are feeling the strain especially. It can be said that, if the Americans are burning the midnight oil, the British are burning the early morning oil. They are working early and late.

Prime Minister MacDonald is under one of the greatest physical tests put up to any statesman in many years. As leader of the delegation, Labor party leader in parliamentary sessions and chairman of the conference, he is under a triple burden.

When the conference began, all the delegation members could be found on the job early in the morning, every one being at least by 9 a. m. Lately a few of them have been discovered in their offices earlier than 10:30.

Secretary of State Stimson, who is accustomed to constant exertion and recreation in Washington, shows distinct signs of fatigue each night as he leaves his office for his apartment in the Ritz Hotel or his country home at Elanmore. Other members of the American delegation are holding up under the strain considerably better than the Secretary, most of them being younger.

One of the hardest workers among the Americans is Dr. V. E. Higgins, who accompanied the delegation to watch over the health of all. Severe colds have been frequent, though the chief complaint of the Americans has been indigestion, which is attributed chiefly to change of food and eating in a hurry.

Foreign Minister Grandi of Italy, normally the most youthful and vigorous of all the delegates, showed signs of worry and fatigue on returning from his conversation with MacDonald last night.

Japanese Acceptance of U. S. Agreement Expected Thursday.

TOKIO, March 25.—There are strong indications here that the Japanese Government, next Thursday, will accept the tentative agreement of Japanese and American delegates to the London naval conference, providing that Japan's total naval tonnage shall be a maximum of 22,000 tons, the American quota is expected to be the same as the British.

This expected decision of the Cabinet, permitting a Japanese-American agreement at London, is believed to be the forerunner of a naval treaty at least between Japan, the United States and Great Britain, even though France and Italy should not become parties to the program for reduced naval tonnage.

The proposal which the Japanese Cabinet is expected to approve is that the permitted United States' total naval tonnage should be 22,000 tons and that of Japan 22,000 tons. While this would permit Japan 49.3 per cent, there has been much dissatisfaction among the Japanese high naval officers. These officers urged their Government to reject the tentative agreement because it did not grant Japan a 70 per cent ratio, with Great Britain and the United States in large cruisers, 70 per cent of auxiliary tonnage and 75,000 tons of submarines.

SILSBY, ON STAND, DESCRIBES HOLDUP OF HAMILTON BANK

Former Gangster Is State's Star Witness Against Lester Barth, on Trial for First Degree Robbery.

Frank Silsby, former St. Louis gangster, testified as to the planning and execution of the holdup March 5, 1926, of the Hamilton State Bank, 5562 Delmar boulevard, in the first-degree robbery trial of Lester Barth in Circuit Judge Hamilton's court today. Silsby, to whom immunity has been promised, is the State's star witness.

"We picked the Hamilton Bank," Silsby said, in response to a question by Assistant Circuit Attorney Hennings, "because we had noticed that the street car employees cashed their checks there on the first and twentieth of each month and figured they had plenty of money on hand. For weeks prior to the robbery we talked and planned in Charles Payton's house, 2633 Janney avenue, with everybody present."

"We hired Thompson Jones' car for \$300 and arranged to have him leave it in front of Payton's house. On the morning of the job, we sent Payton on the street car to the bank to look things over. He was to stand in front of the Pagan Theater, across Delmar boulevard from the bank, and lift his hat as a signal to start."

"Half an hour after he left, we all changed our clothes, putting on overalls, coats and caps, and drove to the bank, stopping in Laurel street a block and a half south of the bank. For 20 minutes we watched Payton and then we saw his hat go up."

Silsby, at the wheel, drove around the block, parking the machine near the side door of the bank, facing south in Laurel, he testified, and he remained at the wheel while the other four men went in the bank. It had been arranged that the four men, who were armed with pistols, would enter the bank, stopping in Laurel street a block and a half south of the bank. For 20 minutes we watched Payton and then we saw his hat go up."

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"Safety first in stocks" was a catch word, inasmuch as the firm dealt largely in stocks of a highly speculative nature. "Lists furnished at any time giving complete information on gilt-edged securities yielding more than 6 per cent," the firm advertised, but a perusal of the lists indicates that "gilt-edged" refers in part to the style of print used in the lists, and not to the securities themselves. The Young brothers before coming to St. Louis operated an oil refining company which went into bankruptcy in Oklahoma City in 1926, and cheap oil stocks were among their offerings here.

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Refused to Examine Books.

It was to get something tangible that Holmes suggested examination of the firm's books, which Stockard refused to make. Stockard's reference to stopping the firm from selling stock in Missouri relates to the firm's own preferred stock, which Stockard held was being illegally sold, not having been registered under the Missouri blue sky law. However, the company's sales of other stocks were not interfered with, and complaints are now piling up that the company failed to make delivery of the stock certificates in some cases, while retaining money or securities paid for them.

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Reporters, customers and others who called at the eight-room suite of offices on the second floor of the Central National Bank Building found the employees moving out, their pay having been stopped by the receivership. With branch offices in 15 states, there were about 365 persons on the payroll. Some doubt existed as to the exact number of offices, the company's expansion having been so rapid, but it was stated that the number recently increased from 55 to 65 and later was reduced to 63, with the closing of branches at Sedalia, Mo., and Des Moines, Ia.

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played 30 to 40 agents in the State, owned paid-up bonds totaling \$2,000,000 and owned two buildings in Kansas City.

The three Young brothers are in their early thirties. Most of their employees were young and there was nothing staid or conservative about their high-pressure sales methods.

The officers of the firm were "Bill" and "Fred" and "Harold" to their subordinates, who had reason to consider them jolly good fellows. It is related that President "Bill" Young noticed one of his salesmen moping about the offices and inquired the reason. The salesman explained he had \$650 in pressing debts which he could not meet.

"Cheer up," said "Bill" Young, and without further ado he sat down and wrote out a check for \$700—\$50 for good measure—and tossed it to the unhappy delinquent.

The "pop" meetings of the sales forces were occasions to be remembered. After the brothers and the sales manager had delivered eloquent inspirational talks, the meetings would adjourn with a whoop, card and dice games often followed and liquor was supplied. One salesman is said to have won \$1500 at dice one night.

Several bootleggers paid their accustomed visits to the "general offices" yesterday, and were nonplussed to find the courts had taken charge.

\$700 a Month for Jewelry.

For a time after moving here from Oklahoma, the brothers Young lived at a downtown hotel, where sometimes their associates gathered for impromptu "pop" sessions. A year ago when one of the brothers married, the force gave a champagne party in celebration.

There was nothing cheap about "Bill" Young. Some months ago, before the stock market crash, he purchased for himself, so investigators have been told, a \$1800 gold watch, a \$60 cigar lighter and a \$45 cigarette case. The brothers had jewelry accounts ranging up to \$700 a month and clothing accounts of \$600 to \$1100 a month, it is said.

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"Last August a Negro boy in splendid costume came to my office and announced: 'Mr. Young, I want to see you.' What is Young?" I asked.

"Why, Mr. W. H. Young, the broker in Central National Bank Building," the messenger told me. I accompanied the boy to Young's office. We shook hands and said: 'I want to buy your patent device. How much do you want for it?' My attorney is going to Washington to check up on your patent, and I want you to go along with him. Here's a check for \$1000 on your expenses."

"I was almost swept off my feet by the fast action, but I took the check and went with the messenger. The deal later fell through, as the business man saw no more of Young or his uniformed messenger."

"Bill" Young, 32 years old, is a medium build with jet black hair, deep-set eyes and ruddy complexion.

"Fred" Young, three years younger, but ranking below "Bill" as an officer, is somewhat taller and heavier. The brothers dress well and neatly. They are smooth-talking and smooth talkers.

The third brother, Harold, is "kid of the family," has spent most of his time at the Kansas City office.

12-Room Residence.

President Young resides at the Westmoreland drive, University City, where he has a 12-room bungalow and stone residence with the bath, spacious lawn, swimming pool and tennis court.

His brother, Fred, has an even larger house on the south side of Clayton road, half a mile west of Ballas road. It is a modern structure of red brick, painted white, and flanked by bow windows and a paddock for riding horses. There is a pipe organ in the living room.

William Young also was fond of pipe organs. Acting as the father for the child of an employee he was present at a christening, a church where the organ was down. The pastor explained the congregation lacked funds to repair it, whereupon Young is said to have written a check for \$5000 to have the organ repaired.

"The Home That Youngs Built" was the title of a monthly magazine which the company began publishing last June. In dedicating the issue, President Young said it was the management's aim to extend the scope of opportunity until the firm "has become the largest distributors of securities within the borders of the United States."

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INSURANCE POLICIES ABOUT TO LAPSE

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By the Associated Press.

CLEVELAND, O., March 25.—Dr. Ernst J. Watzl killed himself in Vienna just a few hours before his insurance policies on his life, totaling \$60,000, would have become void. Thus he made it possible for his widow, who he deserted last November, to collect his insurance.

The Cleveland last November, he fled after the charred ruins of his automobile was found along the banks of the Schuykill river, near Pottsville, Pa., Nov. 17, and who was later found to be alive following an investigation which disclosed insurance premiums had been paid almost on the date of expiration of the policies, made his first gesture one of retribution.

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Thomas M. Dysart (left), chairman of the Citizens' School Tax Campaign Committee, and Arthur A. Blumeyer, president of the Board of Education, casting their ballots in favor of retaining the 85-cent school tax rate, this morning in a polling place in the basement of a dwelling on Belmont avenue, north of Waterman boulevard.

Among the effects of the two, who were believed to have been dead since before midnight Sunday, were letters to various persons in different countries, one of them to Mrs. Watzl in Cleveland. Police said they thought financial difficulties caused Watzl to kill the woman and then take his life.

There was no money whatsoever about the two bodies or in their effects. They had fashionable luggage, however, and gave the impression of being well to do. They arrived Thursday and spent their days, until Sunday, rambling about the city.

There were two sets of passports between them, one in the name of Johann Fiasch, which appeared to belong to the young woman, Josef Kropel, age 25, who according to the certificate was married last December. Watzl used the woman's passport in registering at the hotel.

The numerous letters left in the room were said to have incomplete Cleveland and continental addresses on them. The contents were said to be confused.

ALTON BOOKMAKER IS KIDNAPED FROM HIS BILLIARD HALL

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great physical strength, formidable if aroused. In his youth he was an amateur boxer with a reputation in the Alton community. His intimates call him "Champ" Conley.

The kidnapping of Conley was the first in more than a month since St. Louis authorities thought they had put an end to kidnaping for ransom when they rescued Jacob Hoffman, St. Louis bookmaker, on Feb. 21, from a St. Louis County resort where he had been held for 64 hours and arrested by his guards.

Other Kidnapings. The same day, Charles W. Pershall, Granite City banker and proprietor of a chain of groceries, returned home after a two-day absence. Investigation developed that his family had paid \$40,000 for his freedom.

Pershall was the only victim outside of the series of abductions. Harry King, and "Mulepole" Fritz, East Side gamblers, were the first victims. In gambling circles, it is understood that they paid \$25,000 and \$35,000, respectively, before they were released, but neither would discuss his experience with the authorities. Jesse Rueblich, former St. Louis County gambling house proprietor, kidnaped in February near his St. Louis home, told police he bought his freedom with a check for \$50,000.

KILLS SELF ON WEDDING DAY

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 25.—Miss Viola Hoffert, 22 years old, shot and killed herself today in her bedroom at the home of her parents. She was to have been married today to Elbert Burns, 26.

Voices \$300,000 for "Constitution." By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The House resolution to authorize \$300,000 for completing restoration of the old frigate Constitution was adopted today by the Senate.

EARLY BALLOTING ON SCHOOL TAX UNUSUALLY LIGHT

Election Board Chairman Predicts 60,000 Votes on Retaining Present 85-Cent Rate.

A vote of \$6,000 in today's special election on the proposal by the Board of Education to retain the 85-cent school tax rate for the next four years was predicted by Chairman Remmers of the Election Board, in spite of the snow which the Weather Bureau expected to continue to fall most of the day.

The 670 precinct polling places opened at 6 a. m. and will close at 7 p. m. The voting in the forenoon appeared to be comparatively light, even for a special election.

Employers were asked by the Citizens' School Tax Campaign Committee to give workers time off duty to vote, in view of the weather conditions. The Building Department of the Board of Education requested the contractors with which it deals to do this for their employees.

A majority vote will carry the proposal. Voters approving it scratch "no" on the ballot, and those opposing it scratch "yes." If the proposition should fail, the school tax rate would revert under the State Constitution to 60 cents on the \$100 of assessed valuation and the schools would lose at least \$2,500,000 a year in revenue. That would force the abandonment or curtailment of many educational activities. The 85-cent rate has been in effect for the last nine years.

Previously Carried 10 to 1. In the last similar election, four years ago, 54,399 votes were cast, or 18 per cent of the registration at that time, and the result was 10 to 1 in favor of keeping the 85-cent rate. The forecast of 60,000 votes today is equivalent to 17 per cent of the present registration of 449,851. Chairman Remmers thinks that aroused public interest will bring out that many votes, even though some persons may stay away from the polls because of the weather. Up to 10:30 o'clock this morning, the precincts were quiet, with the temperature 4 degrees below the freezing point.

The Citizens' School Tax Campaign Committee, which conducted the present campaign for the proposition, anticipated a favorable majority of 10 to 1. There has been little apparent opposition and the only fear was that public apathy might permit the proposal to fail.

Headquarters of the campaign committee will be open until after the polls close and the vote is tabulated. The unofficial count is expected to be finished about 10 o'clock tonight. Arrangements have been made to broadcast the returns by radio station KMOX, KWK and WIL. The committee headquarters, where information about the election will be available all day, is on the seventh floor of the Board of Education Building, 311 Locust street. The telephone is CH 5337.

Busy Getting Out the Vote. District campaign headquarters have been set up in most of the schools and many persons were engaged in getting out as large a vote as possible by use of the telephone and the automobile. City officials were requested by Mayor Miller to close their offices at 2 o'clock this afternoon, so that employees would have time to vote. Executive committees of both the Republican and Democratic City Committees have been among the many organizations endorsing the 85-cent rate. All of the public schools except the special schools

closed at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Nearly all of the Citizens' Committee's campaign bills have been paid and officers said there would be no deficit.

The special election is costing the city about \$35,000. There are 4020 precinct judges and clerks of election on duty. A policeman is stationed at every polling place.

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INDIAN KILLER TAKES STAND IN OJIBWA MURDER

Nancy Bowen, Who Slew Artist's Wife With Hammer Testifies in Trial of Lila Jimerson.

BUFFALO, N. Y., March 25.—Nancy Bowen, 66-year-old Indian, who killed Mrs. Henri Marchand, wife of a painter and sculptor in her home here March 6 with a hammer, took the witness stand this afternoon in the trial of Lila Jimerson, 35-year-old Indian, who is charged with prevailing on Mrs. Bowen to carry out the murder.

Miss Jimerson was infatuated with Marchand, who has admitted an affair with her.

Nancy Bowen, testifying for the State, verified facts of instruction sent to her by fictitious "Mrs. Dooley," telling her she should murder Mrs. Marchand. The "Mrs. Dooley," the prosecution contends, was Lila.

The United States Government today stepped into the trial, instructing its attorney here to join the defense counsel seeking to clear the Seneca woman.

The Federal intercession became evident with the opening of court today when United States District Attorney Richard H. Templeton appeared before Judge F. Bret Thorne and told him Attorney-General Mitchell had instructed him to represent Lila and Nancy on the ground that they were wards of the Federal Government.

State Prosecutor Objects. The appearance of Templeton brought from District Attorney Guy B. Moore an immediate objection to what he termed the interference on the part of the Government. Judge Thorne, disregarding this protest, accepted the Federal attorney as a member of the defense counsel and ordered an adjournment of three hours to afford opportunity for Templeton to confer with the prisoners and with the defense attorneys. John S. Knibble and John V. Maloney. The judge, however, did support the assertion of Moore that the case was within the jurisdiction of the State's court.

Moore, thoroughly aroused over the Federal intercession, amplified remarks made before the court with a later statement said: "The interference of the Federal Government in this case is due to politics among the Indians. The Indians of the Seneca nation who live on the Cattaraugus Reservation in this county have a Republican form of government. Many of the other Indians are still governed by chiefs, as in the times of old."

Calls Chiefs Ambitious. "These chiefs are ambitious for power and are opposed to the republican form of government adopted by the Senecas. These chiefs have been stirring up trouble continually in order to accomplish their ambitions and according to the public press the particular chief who has instigated this interference with the sovereignty of the state of New York lives in Canada."

"If we believe in the republican form of government and allow the chiefs to overthrow that form of government among the Senecas then we are false to the traditions of our own country."

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PAIR, REUNITED AFTER LOVE TEST, RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. March Have "Nothing to Say"—Desire to Be Allowed to Continue Our Life Together

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Mich., March 25.—Mrs. Dorothy Howe March and the husband who assented to her three weeks' sojourn with another man as an experiment to determine which one she wanted, returned to their home here this morning and issued a brief statement to the effect that they desired only to be left to work out their own future.

The husband, Benjamin March, manager of Asiatic art at the Detroit Institute of Arts, met his wife Sunday on her return from Miami, Fla., and immediately took her out of town. Shortly after Mrs. March left Miami the other man, Thomas A. Newton, 31, son of a wealthy Detroit packer, shot and killed himself in a Miami beach hotel.

At the door to their home here the Marches were greeted by a group of newspaper men and photographers. They posed for the cameramen and to the reporters passed out typewritten slips of paper. Carrying the signatures of both, the statement read: "Neither Mrs. March, nor myself has anything to say for publication. We desire to be allowed to continue our life together."

It has developed that Newton financed the trip to Florida with \$11,000 of borrowed money, which apparently only \$17 was left when he killed himself.

A friend of Newton's, the Detroit News says, told of an appeal by Newton for money. "If I don't get money I'll shoot myself," the friend quotes Newton as saying, adding that Newton's father had refused to help his son.

The friend gave Newton \$11,000 in securities, understanding that he would use them as collateral to "get himself out of a financial jam."

"I didn't know there was a woman in the case," says the friend, "and I didn't know anything about the trip. The arrangement was that he was to give back the securities as soon as his financial condition improved."

Newton formerly was associated with his father's business, but more recently had been a bond salesman. His friends say he lost heavily in the stock market.

The return of Mrs. March to her husband, who is curator of Asiatic art at Detroit Institute of Arts, came after a trip with Newton which started Feb. 24, during which the two visited Bermuda, Cuba and Florida.

March said he consented to the "love trial trip," which was to continue for a month. If his wife decided she really held affection for Newton they were to remain together, he said, but if she or Newton found they were bound merely by an infatuation, she was to re-

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WOMAN SERIOUSLY INJURED WHEN HIT BY STREET CAR

Unidentified, She Is Taken to City Hospital; Accident on Holmden Street, Right of Way.

An unidentified woman, between 55 and 60 years old, suffered fractures of the skull and both arms and internal injuries when knocked down by a street car as she crossed the Kirkwood-Ferguson and Holmden right-of-way at Wabasha avenue at 7:50 a. m. today. She was taken to City Hospital.

The woman was clad in what appeared to be mourning, wearing a black dress, black coat trimmed with black fur, black felt hat and stockings and patent leather shoes. She carried a black umbrella and a silver mesh bag containing, about \$2 in cash and wore silver-rimmed spectacles. She is about 5 feet 5 inches tall and weighs 125 pounds.

Gilbert H. Guinn, 1108 Kimberly avenue, motorman, told police the woman stepped in front of the car whose progress he was unable to stop due to slippery rails.

250-GALLON STEAM-OPERATED STILL FOUND BEHIND GARAGE

Dry Agents Seize 25 Gallons of Alcohol at 3043 Madison Street.

A 250-gallon steam-operated still in a concrete vault behind and beneath a garage at 3043 Madison street, was raided by Prohibition agents last night. They seized 25 gallons of alcohol and announced they would return to the place today to destroy 2500 gallons of mash they found in one of the two vaults in the place.

When the agents arrived they found Joe Palazzolo, 29 years old, 1412 Bluff avenue, coming out of one of the doors to the still compartment. He said he was working for a man he did not know and was being paid \$10 a night for operating the apparatus. Palazzolo was charged with manufacture and possession of liquor.

Challaphin Seriously Ill.

MILAN, March 25.—Feodor Challaphin, operatic basso is seriously ill here. He has canceled special performances of the Russian opera "Boris Godounov," in which he was to sing the title role at La Scala.

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SON 'KILLED IN ACTION' ALIVE, MOTHER THINKS

Receives Letter and Picture From Soldier in Foreign Legion Prison.

By the Associated Press.

VINCENNES, Ind., March 25.—Robert Gephart, commander of the local "Forty and Eight" chapter of the American Legion will go to Washington Friday to ask President Hoover to negotiate for release from the French Foreign Legion of a soldier thought to be Merlin Pritchard, 37 years old, former Vincennes boy.

Mrs. E. J. Pritchard, 76, now living in Quahing, Ok., received a body identified by the War Department as that of her son, Merlin, and it was buried here in July. The War Department records showed that the son had been killed in action in France on July 14, 1918.

Last fall Mrs. Pritchard received a letter sent by a soldier of the French Foreign Legion, saying that he was Merlin Pritchard. The soldier was serving a term in a military prison in Africa. The letter was called to Gephart's attention and he obtained a picture of the soldier. The mother declared she was positive that the soldier was her son.

DEPUTY PROBATION OFFICER, EDITH MARIAN WHITMAN, DIES

Miss Edith Marian Whitman, deputy municipal probation officer for the last 10 years, died at Latham Hospital yesterday of spinal meningitis contracted in the course of her social service work. She succumbed just a week before her fifty-seventh birthday.

Miss Whitman, who resided with her sister, Miss Cora Whitman, at 5748A Page boulevard, was the daughter of the late David P. Whitman, vice president of the Whitman Agricultural Co., 6909 South Broadway. She had been engaged in social service work for 17 years. Funeral services will be held at the Wagner undertaking establishment, 3521 Olive street, at 3 p. m. tomorrow. Burial will be in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

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COLD KILLS PEACH BUDS
Peach buds were killed by mid-winter temperatures reaching the lowest they can withstand, 14 or 15 below, in most sections of the State, H. L. Seaton, assistant farm agent at Clayton in charge of horticultural crops, said today.

"I'll be surprised if there's one peach in St. Louis County this season," he declared. He said other fruit trees appeared uninjured by the cold. County residents have noted that peach leaves are coming in without blossoms. Plum trees are blooming.

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Elzey Roberts, Publisher,
Announces Plans for Five-
Story Structure to Be
Ready in Two Years.

Elzey Roberts, publisher of the St. Louis Star, today announced his plans for a new building for the newspaper, a five-story structure at the northeast corner of High and Morgan streets, extending east to Twelfth street. The new plant, with equipment, will represent an investment of \$1,500,000, Roberts said, and will be ready for occupancy in about two years.

The new Star building, as planned, will be erected on air-rights over the underground tracks of the St. Louis Electric Terminal Railroad, and will be the first building in St. Louis to occupy such a position. The new Chicago Daily News building is partly projected over air-rights, and the Philadelphia Inquirer building is entirely over air-rights, as are large hotels along Park avenue in New York, the New York Central having its tracks beneath.

In the present instance, the ground is owned by the electric railway company, from which the Star acquires the rights for its structure overhead.

The building will have a frontage of 120 feet on High street, north from Morgan, and will extend 168 feet on Morgan east to Twelfth. High street is the present direct extension of Twelfth boulevard, north of Washington avenue, and North Twelfth street at Morgan, is the next street east. The block north and east of High street and Franklin avenue is the site of the new Globe-Democrat building, for which preparatory work has been begun.

On the south side of Morgan street, at High, opposite the new Star building, will be the \$5,000,000 warehouse and terminal of the Illinois Traction System.

A prospective facility of the location will be the unloading of the paper supply from the tracks beneath directly into the pressroom of the building. Storage space will be provided for a large reserve supply of paper.

The extension of Twelfth boulevard northward, and the widening of Morgan street, are expected to add to the business value of the location.

"It was planned originally," Roberts said, "to make the announcement of a new home for the Star in 1932, a year before expiration of the present Star Building lease, but because of President Hoover's prosperity plea to the nation and the continued steady growth of the paper, the plans, after careful consideration, were moved forward by approximately two years." The present building at the northwest corner of Twelfth boulevard and Olive street is to be taken over by the Union Electric Co. as an annex to its property on the north.

'THOMAS DUNN MEMORIALS' INCORPORATION PETITION FILED

Endowed by Retired Pawnbroker to Maintain Home for Youths Starting in Life.

A petition for a pro forma decree of incorporation was filed in Circuit Court yesterday by "The Thomas Dunn Memorials," which has been endowed by Thomas Dunn, 86-year-old retired pawnbroker, to maintain a home for young men starting out in life with little or no money.

For this purpose Dunn about a year ago purchased the old Washington University School building on the quarter block at the southwest corner of Ewing avenue and Locust street. The price paid was approximately \$75,000.

Officers of the new organization, which is formed as a benevolent society, are former Circuit Judge Thomas C. Hennings, president; James L. Westlake, vice president; Thomas Dunn, treasurer; Milton Daugherty, secretary; and Edgar H. McCulloch, attorney. It is provided that vacancies on the board of directors shall be filled from the Tuscan Masonic Lodge, and by the Judge of the Juvenile Court, Chamber of Commerce, Moolah Temple, the Mercantile Commerce Bank and Trust Co., Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows and the Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of St. Louis, in the order named. The petition was presented to Judge Peary for action.

ELECTION IN KANSAS CITY

Vote of 140,000 to 150,000 Is Expected.

By the Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 25.—In the election here today for a Mayor, councilmen and municipal judges, it was expected that a huge vote would be cast, estimates placing the total at between 140,000 and 150,000.

Bryce B. Smith, Democrat, and George E. Kimball, Republican, are the mayoralty candidates. Since control of the City Council by either party gives that party the power to name the City Manager, who is the actual director of the city government, a hard fight was looked for in the balloting for the eight council places. The Democrats at present have a majority in the council and the City Manager is H. F. McKelvey, a Democrat.

SIX MONTHS FOR MOTORIST WHO HIT TWO IN SAFETY ZONE

Manuel Gilmore, 1247 1/2 South Ninth street, was sentenced to six months in the workhouse by Police Judge Rosecan today for leaving the scene of an accident and careless driving. He appealed. Gilmore drove through a safety zone at Jefferson avenue and Olive street, Feb. 22, knocking down Mrs. Lucille Spath, 2629 Caroline street, and Miss Irene McMahon, 2631 Caroline street. He was captured in the 3200 block of Olive street when he ran into a parked machine.

TILSON WHITE HOUSE GUEST

House Leader to Recupere There From Grip.
WASHINGTON, March 25.—President Hoover has extended the hospitality of the White House to Representative Tilson of Connecticut, the House Republican floor leader, during his recuperation from a recent attack of the grip. Tilson has accepted the invitation and will go to the White House late today, as soon as he is discharged from the naval hospital. He will remain at the executive mansion until he has recuperated sufficiently to resume his duties at the Capitol. He became ill suddenly last week.

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2500—Costume Jewelry, metal, etc.
100—Antimony Crumb Sets...
125—Silk and Leather Handbags
1308—Pairs Silk Hosiery, irregular
876—Pairs \$1.95 Chiffon Hosiery
706—Pairs 25c Children's Ankle
360—Pairs \$1.95 Novelty Kid G

Street Floor—Scarves

198—59c Georgette Triangles, etc.
97—Linen Vests, white, eggshell
12,000—Yds. Plain and Two-Tone
1000—Women's Hemstitched Linen
3000—Porto Rican Hand-Embroidered
6000—Children's Hemstitched Cotton
1000—Pounds 35c Black Walnut
1200—Pounds 80c Woodlawn Green

Street Floor—Stationery

300—Two-Quire Boxes Stationery
200—\$1.00 Bridge Novelties...
75—75c Lots of Fifty Sheets
200—Decks Bridge Cards, gold
60—59c Sanitary Belts, slip-on
250—Buttons and Buckles...
50—89c Cretonne 8-Garment Vests
75—\$1.00 Girdle Belts, elastic
125—\$1.00 Outline of History, etc.
75—\$2.75 Hammond Modern Art
95—The \$2.50 Book of Courage
150—\$5.00 Anthology of World

Street Floor—Men's

740—Fine \$1.95 Shirts, reduced
224—\$1.95 Novelty Pajamas, various
1600—Men's 50c Four-in-Hand
2400—Men's Soiled Shirts, reduced
Entire Stock Men's Heavy Union
48—Men's 75c High-Grade A
217—Men's \$1.35 Rayon Union
14—Men's Fine \$4.95 Sweaters

Street Floor—Men's

150—\$4 Men's Hats, sizes 6 3/4 to 7 1/4
70—\$1 Spring Caps, 8-quarter
308—25c Pairs Fancy Socks, various
188—\$2.50 Pairs Men's Import
150—Briar Pipes, curved and
50—Full Pound Packages
16—Ship Model Smoker Stationery
25—Imported Pottery Ash Trays
500—Bakelite Cigarette Holders
3500—Ramon Cigars, made in T
1500—Havana Sweets Handmade
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169—Yards \$1.98 Mallinson's
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88—Yards 68c Chiffon Taffeta
312—Yards \$1.39 Printed Silk
184—Yards \$1.39 Printed Crepe
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65—Yards 59c Printed Satin
112—Yards 98c Maise Rayon
165—Yards 54-Inch Novelty V
4400—Yards Wash Remnants
550—Yards 39c Wash Fabric
367—Yards 59c Printed Rayo

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600—79c Rayon Combination
150—\$1.95 Glove Silk Step-I
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600—\$1.95 Dresses, Smocks
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125—Tots' \$1.00 Printed and
50—Uplift Brassieres, crepe
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70—Corsettes, medium leng

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Street Floor—Jewelry, Bags, Hosiery, Gloves

- 89—\$3.75 Ingersoll Wrist Watches, luminous or plain dials. \$2.69
- 100—\$4.95 Real Stone Necklaces. \$2.95
- 2500—Costume Jewelry, metal, stone. 19c
- 100—Antimony Crumb Sets. 69c
- 125—Silk and Leather Handbags, reduced. 1/2
- 1308—Pairs Silk Hosiery, irregulars \$1.35 quality. 69c, 3 Pr. for \$2
- 876—Pairs \$1.95 Chiffon Hosiery, broken sizes and colors, pair. 95c
- 706—Pairs 25c Children's Ankle Socks, assorted, 2 for 25c, pr., 15c
- 360—Pairs \$1.95 Novelty Kid Gloves, soiled, and repaired. \$1.29

Street Floor—Scarfs, 'Kerchiefs, Candy

- 198—59c Georgette Triangles, pastel colored designs. 29c
- 97—Linen Vests, white, eggshell and colors, reduced. 1/2
- 12,000—Yds. Plain and Two-Tone Satin Ribbon, 40c bolt, 10 yds. 10c
- 1000—Women's Hemstitched Linen 'Kerchiefs. 10c
- 3000—Porto Rican Hand-Embroidered 'Kerchiefs. 6 for 50c
- 6000—Children's Hemstitched Cotton 'Kerchiefs, dozen. 25c
- 1000—Pounds 35c Black Walnut Molasses Candy, pound. 29c
- 1200—Pounds 80c Woodlawn Goodies, pound. 59c

Street Floor—Stationery, Notions, Books

- 300—Two-Quire Boxes Stationery, assorted colors. 25c
- 200—\$1.00 Bridge Novelties. 50c
- 75—75c Lots of Fifty Sheets and Envelopes, tan and blue. 37c
- 200—Decks Bridge Cards, gold and silver edges, 2 in case. 79c
- 60—59c Sanitary Belts, slip-on styles, each. 25c
- 250—Buttons and Buckles. 5c
- 50—89c Cretonne 8-Garment Wardrobe Bags. 59c
- 75—\$1.00 Girdle Belts, elastic sides. 59c
- 125—\$1.00 Outline of History, H. G. Wells, 1200 pages. 79c
- 75—\$2.75 Hammond Modern Atlas of World, size 10x12. \$2.25
- 95—The \$2.50 Book of Courage, by Herman Hagedorn. \$1.95
- 150—\$5.00 Anthology of World Poetry, over 1300 pages. \$3.95

Street Floor—Men's Furnishings, Underwear

- 740—Fine \$1.95 Shirts, reduced to \$1.69. 3 for \$5.00
- 224—\$1.95 Novelty Pajamas, variety of fabrics and styles. \$1.35
- 1600—Men's 50c Four-in-Hand Ties, 35c each. 3 for \$1.00
- 2400—Men's Soiled Shirts, reduced to \$1.00
- Entire Stock Men's Heavy Union Suits, reduced. 1/2
- 48—Men's 75c High-Grade Athletic Union Suits. 50c
- 217—Men's \$1.35 Rayon Union Suits, athletic style. \$1.00
- 14—Men's Fine \$4.95 Sweaters, slightly soiled. \$2.95

Street Floor—Men's Hats, Hose, Cigars, Etc.

- 150—\$4 Men's Hats, sizes 6 3/4 to 7 3/4—raw and welt edges. \$2.85
- 70—\$1 Spring Caps, 8-quarter and 1-piece styles, all lined. 69c
- 308—25c Pairs Fancy Socks, various qualities. 15c, 2 Prs., 25c
- 188—\$2.50 Pairs Men's Imported Wool Golf Hose. \$1.95
- 150—Briar Pipes, curved and straight stems. 35c
- 50—Full Pound Packages Raleigh Smoking Tobacco. 80c
- 16—Ship Model Smoker Stands. \$1.95
- 25—Imported Pottery Ash Trays, each. 50c
- 500—Bakelite Cigarette Holders. 10c
- 3500—Ramon Cigars, made in Tampa, 7 for 25c; 50 for \$1.60
- 1500—Havana Sweets Handmade Cigars, 6 for 25c; 50 for \$1.98
- 10,000—Raleigh Cigarettes, 5 packages for. 65c

Second Floor—Silks, Woolens, Cottons

- 169—Yards \$1.98 Mallinson's Khaki Kool, 40-in., yard. \$1.49
- 148—Yards \$1.98 Wiener Werkstatte Prints, 40-in., yard. \$1.18
- 88—Yards 68c Chiffon Taffetas, 36-in., yard. 50c
- 312—Yards \$1.39 Printed Silks and Rayons, 40-in., yard. \$1.00
- 184—Yards \$1.39 Printed Crepe Chiffons, 40-in., yard. \$1.00
- 270—Yards \$1.98 Bordered Satin Crepe, 40-in., yard. \$1.18
- 480—Yards 98c Colored Honan Pongee, 33-in., yard. 68c
- 212—Yards \$1.98 Striped Silk Broadcloths, 32-in., yard. \$1.38
- 300—Yards 27-Inch All-Wool Challis, yard. 59c
- 112—Yards \$1.49 Imported Lining Brocades (silk & cotton) yd., 88c
- 65—Yards 59c Printed Sateen (cotton), 36-in., yard. 38c
- 112—Yards 98c Maize Rayon Satin, 36-Inch, yard. 68c
- 165—Yards 54-Inch Novelty Woolens, yard. \$1.00
- 4400—Yards Wash Remnants, lengths to 4 yards, reduced. 1/2
- 550—Yards 39c Wash Fabrics, 36-in., yard. 19c
- 367—Yards 59c Printed Rayon, 36-in., yard. 39c

Second Floor—Lingerie, Infants' Wear

- 600—79c Rayon Combinations, Panties, Bloomers, 32 to 38. 49c
- 150—\$1.95 Glove Silk Step-Ins and Bloomers, assorted sizes. \$1.69
- 500—77c Handmade Porto Rican Gowns (soiled), 15 to 17. 50c
- 600—\$1.95 Dresses, Smocks and Apron Frocks, sizes 14 to 40. \$1.00
- 45—Infants' Imported Silk Coats and Sets, sizes to 2 years. 1/2
- 125—Tots' \$1.00 Printed and Broadcloth Frocks, 2 to 6. 79c
- 50—Uplift Brassieres, crepe and jersey. 49c
- 85—Step-Ins, of satin and elastic. \$2.95
- 70—Corsettes, medium length, broken sizes. \$1.00

Radios & Phonographs

- 5—Kolster Electric Radios, complete, \$69
 - 1—Majestic Radio Model 71, comp., \$73.50
 - 5—RCA Radiolas, model 33, complete, \$67
 - 2—Freshman Electric Radios, comp. \$50
 - 3—Console Type Phonographs. \$6.98
 - 1000—Brunswick Records, each. 19c
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Blankets and Spreads

- 35—Pairs All-Wool Plaid Blankets, 70x80 inches, weight 5 1/4 pounds, slightly soiled, reduced. 1/3
- 25—Rayon Spread Sets in rose, blue, gold, green and orchid, reduced. 1/3
- 86—Rayon-and-Cotton Mixed Spreads, 80x105 inches, reduced. 1/3 (Second Floor.)

Men's Clothing Specials

- 17—\$38.50 Kuppenheimer Topcoats. \$25
- 19—\$33.50 Kuppenheimer Suits, now. \$19
- 23—\$38 Kuppenheimer Suits, reduced, \$25
- 15—\$25 Topcoats and Gabardine Coats, \$15
- 43—\$33 Two-Trouser Suits, reduced. \$19
- 36—Pairs Men's Trousers, reduced. 1/2
- 19—Men's Raincoats, reduced. 1/2 (Fourth Floor.)

Toiletries and Drugs

- 864—Bottles Melba Perfumes, orig. 2-oz. 79c
- 1440—69c Boxes De Choisy Face Pow., 25c
- 2000—\$1.50 Single and Double Compacts, 59c
- 500—\$1.69 Bottles Fr. Perfume, 2-oz., \$1.19
- 191—25c Bottles Pasteurine. 10c
- 274—89c Mothex Liquid and Spray. 45c
- 96—98c Bottles Beef, Iron and Wine, 69c
- 39—\$3.50 Bathaway Reducing Salts. \$1.79
- 226—50c Rubber Sponges. 29c (Street Floor.)

Linens and Towels

- 180—Fancy Scarfs, Dollies, Bridge Sets, Locket napkins and Bed Sets. 1/3
- 30—Rayon Luncheon Sets, 58-in. cloth and six 16-in napkins and cloth 58x80, with 6 or 8 napkins. 1/3
- 30—Hemstitched Linen Dinner Sets, cloth 66x86 to 72x108 and six 16-inch napkins. 1/3
- 100—Martex Bath Towels and Mats. 1/3 OFF!

Hemstitched Linen Sets

- 60—White and colored Sets greatly reduced! Cloths are 58x86 to 72x90 inches. Napkins 12x12 to 22x22 inches—reduced. 1/2 (Second Floor.)

Fourth Floor—Boys' Clothing, Furnishings

- 100—\$1.59 Tom Sawyer Wash Suits, slightly soiled. 99c
- 53—\$4.98 Juvenile Suits, jersey and all-wool fabrics. \$2.69
- 5—Boys' \$12.98 Blue Two-Knicker Suits. \$8.99
- 100—Pairs Boys' \$1.69 Knickers, reduced to. \$1.26
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- 18—Boys' Sweaters, desirable styles. \$1.98
- 12—Boys' Lumberjacks, solid colors reduced. 1/2
- 150—Boys' Shirts, 12 to 14 1/2. 79c
- 60—\$1.00 Tom Sawyer Shirts, black and white patterns. 50c
- 45—Tom Sawyer Blouses, small sizes, slightly soiled. 25c
- 79—Boys' Nainsook Union Suits. 59c

Fourth Floor—Sporting Goods

- 15—Bicycles, floor samples, all models. \$24.98
- 39—\$7.84 Complete Golf Sets, slightly shopworn. \$3.98
- 150—\$1.98 Blazer Stripe and Pure White Sport Coats. \$1.00
- 300—Pairs \$1.79 Ball-Bearing Roller Skates. \$1.45
- 100—Golf Clubs—Nationally Known Brands, reduced. 1/2
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Fifth Floor—Toys

- 11—\$11.98 Ball-Bearing Velocipedes. \$8.98
- 29—\$1.98 Scooters. \$1.49
- 38—\$3.50 Doll Carriages. \$2.59
- 125—Slightly Soiled Stuffed Animals, three groups, 25c, 50c, \$1.00
- 300—Slightly Soiled Dolls, three groups. \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00
- 21—Child's \$1.25 Rockers. 98c
- 59—Child's \$3.98 Play Suits. \$2.50
- 19—\$4.98 Coaster Wagons. \$3.98

Fifth Floor—China, Lamps, Housewares, Etc.

- 8—\$9.75 Linen and Broom Cabinets. \$5.98
- 2—\$9.75 Apartment Bases. \$6.98
- 18—\$3.75 Gas Laundry Stoves. \$2.39
- 63—\$1.50 Owl Andirons, wrought iron, pair. 89c
- 8—Napanee Kitchenets, floor samples, reduced. 1/2
- 30—Alaska Refrigerators; porcelain-lined wood box, reduced. 1/2
- 19—Lamps; table and junior, reduced. 1/2
- 500—50c Haviland China plates, coup soups, fruit saucers, ea. 25c
- 75—\$1.50 Imported White China Service Plates. 75c
- 30—\$3.95 26-piece Dinette Sets, semi-porcelain. \$2.79
- 600—Pieces Crystal and Colored Stemware, reduced. 1/2
- 48—\$5.98 Infralite Lamps, Infra-Red ray. \$4.94
- 8—\$29.50 Uvillite Lamps, Ultra-Violet ray; 10 carbons. \$10.95
- 659—Pieces Vollrath Enamelware, colored; reduced. 1/2
- 300—Sample Bread Boxes, Flour Bins, etc., reduced. 1/2
- 650—25c Pint-size cans Samolene Wood Cleaner; 3 for. 33c
- 30—\$1.69 Utility Tables; metal, finished in green. \$1.34
- 125—\$2.25 Baby Baskets; large size, double handle. \$1.49
- 85—Sample Ferneries and Ivy Stands; wrought iron, reduced. 1/2
- 45—\$1.25 Metal Folding Chairs; moire-covered wood seat. 89c
- 7—Reconditioned Drop-Head Sewing Machines. \$5.00
- 6—Reconditioned Singer Sewing Machines. \$15.00

Sixth Floor—Needlework, Rugs & Curtains

- 100—25c Stamped and Finished Pieces, odds and ends. 15c
- 100—50c Embroidered Model Aprons, unbleached muslin. 39c
- 200—25c Stamped Huck Towels, large size. 19c
- 150—25c Gift Novelties, slightly soiled. 10c
- 50—\$1.25 Bathing Girl Ornaments. 89c
- 100—Carpet Samples. 1/2
- 3—\$92.50 Axminster Rugs, size 12x15. \$69
- 3—\$65 Klearflax Rugs, size 9x15. \$29
- 2—\$132 Plain Brown Rugs, size 9x18. \$61.50
- 56—American Orientals, 22x38 up to 36x42 in., reduced. 1/2
- 8—Servian Rugs, size 27x54 inches, reduced. 1/2
- 100—Remnants \$1.39 Inlaid Linoleum, up to 5 yards, sq. yard. 55c
- 122—Remnants Printed Linoleum, up to 12 yards, square yard, 55c
- 145—\$1.95 Fringed and Shadow Lace Panels, each. \$1.00
- 133—Pairs Embroidered and Printed Criss-Cross Curtains, pair, \$1
- 140—\$2.95 Imported Swiss Panels, each. \$1.00
- 90—Sample Cotton-and-Rayon Panels, each. \$1.00
- 144—75c Cottage Pole Sets. 50c
- 115—Extra-Size \$1.25 Window Shades, slightly soiled. 50c
- 450—Yards \$1.75 Drapery Damask Remnants, up to 5 yds., yd., 95c

Seventh Floor—Furniture, Bedding

- 25—Cotton-Felt Mattresses, floor samples, full or twin sizes. \$8.95
- 20—\$14.75 mahog. fin. Combination Card, End Table and Desk. \$9.95
- 6—Odd Twin Beds, walnut veneers; various styles. \$19.75
- 12—\$22.50 Jenny Lind Beds, mahog. fin., full or twin. \$16.95
- 12—\$7.50 Imported Ladder-Back Chairs, rush seat. \$4.95

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GROUP TO STUDY THE PROSPECT FOR CITY AUDITORIUM

Special Committee Appointed
After Mayor Expresses
Doubt Project May Be
Finished for \$5,000,000.

A special committee of the Convention, Publicity and Tourist Bureau will study the obstacles in the way of construction of the \$5,000,000 Municipal Auditorium. The committee, consisting of Charles E. Williams, Charles M. Hay and former Mayor Henry W. Kiel, was named yesterday at the Bureau's luncheon at the Marquette Hotel, after Mayor Miller had read his prepared statement as to the Auditorium and the \$5,000,000 Memorial Plaza items of the 1923 bond issue.

The Mayor's statement cast doubt on the city's ability to complete the Plaza and Memorial building within a cost of \$5,000,000, or to build the Auditorium for \$5,000,000, even though the cost of a site should be removed by including the site as part of the Plaza.

Unless the work can be done within the prescribed figures, the Mayor said, "I do not feel we should go ahead with these propositions." He added that he did not propose abandonment of the plans—the city has now acquired the greater part of the Plaza site—but he did seek to suggest that additional funds might have to be provided, presumably by a bond issue.

The Mayor said \$5,000,000 might suffice to buy the ground for the Plaza and Memorial building, but that nothing would remain for clearing and improving the tract. As to the Auditorium, he cited the statement of the Plaza Commission architects that its construction and furnishings, including stage equipment and pipe organ, would require not less than \$7,000,000.

Walter B. Welsenburger, president of the Chamber of Commerce, commenting on Mayor Miller's statement as to the Plaza and Auditorium situations, said it should be "immeasurably valuable in focusing public attention on the causes for readjustment." He said the Chamber, in urging completion of the pending civic projects as one of a prescribed "Seven Steps Forward," sought to bring public understanding and interest to problems which rest on the city as a whole and not merely on the city administration.

W. H. OXLEY, BRITISH CONSUL, TO TAKE SIX MONTHS' LEAVE

He and His Wife Will Be Entertained at Severely Parties Before They Depart.

William H. Oxley, British Consul in St. Louis, will return to England on a six months' leave starting in April. Reginald Milburn, Vice-Consul, will be acting head of the British Consulate during his absence.

Oxley will be accompanied by his wife and their small son, who will be entered in an English school. Mr. and Mrs. Oxley will be guests at a dinner of the British officers' mess at the Coronado Hotel April 2, and at a party in their honor to be given April 3 at the Bellevue Country Club by Mr. and Mrs. David L. Grey. They will leave St. Louis April 10 and sail from New York two days later.

ASHES OF JOHN TOENSFELDT TO BE SENT TO GERMANY

They Will Be Accompanied by Those of His Wife, Who Died Last Fall.

Following cremation services at Yalaha Cemetery yesterday, the ashes of John Toensfeldt, 33-year-old pioneer educator, who died Saturday, and those of his wife, Mrs. Elsie J. Toensfeldt, who died last October, will be sent to their birthplace, Neuenstein, Schleswig-Holstein, Germany, as soon as arrangements have been completed with relatives there.

Dr. Georg Ahrens, German Consul, was the principal speaker at the funeral yesterday, which was attended by alumni of the Educational Institute, of which Mr. Toensfeldt was president from 1879 to 1889, and members of the German House of which he was first president, and the St. Louis District of the American Turnbund, in which he repeatedly held office.

One of Mr. Toensfeldt's sons, Raif, a consulting engineer, formerly was chief electrical engineer for the city.

DISCUSSES EUROPEAN WOMEN

German Consul-Officer's Widow Speaks at Town Club.
Mrs. Pearl Violette Metzger, widow of a German consular officer, told of the status of European women at a joint banquet of the St. Louis Business and Professional Women's Club and the Women's Advertising Club at the Town Club last night.

Women of countries which changed Governments under the Versailles treaty are faced with the suppression of individual liberty. Mme. Metzger said, and are forced to teach their children alien languages. She criticized Mussolini for intolerance and said that Queen Marie's tour of the United States caused an unfavorable reaction in Europe, women there feeling it was conducted on a commercial basis.

American Ends Life in Paris.
PARIS, March 25.—The body of Fritz Tuschappat, 29 years old, naturalized American of Dover, O., was found floating yesterday in River Seine. Police think he ended his life as money was in his pockets.

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\$573—Two-piece authentic Charles of London Suite with all-hair filling and loose down-filled cushions covered in old gold damask of good quality. Reduced to... **\$385**

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\$651—Two-piece hand-carved solid mahogany Suite with down-filled cushions in antique green velvet with antique green cut velvet to match, reduced to... **\$485**

"LAST ONE" Dining-Room Suites

\$414—Nine-piece Suite with china cabinet. Elizabethan style. Made of walnut, oak, mahogany veneers on gumwood. Refectory style table. Reduced to... **\$295**

\$536—Nine-piece Dining Suite with china cabinet, Sheraton style. Mahogany, walnut, crotch mahogany veneers on gumwood. Reduced to... **\$355**

\$570—Ten-piece Berkey & Gay Suite in the style of the Federal period, in mahogany, maple burl and crotch mahogany veneers on gumwood. Solid mahogany interiors. Reduced to... **\$365**

\$675—Ten-piece Berkey & Gay Suite with walnut, burl walnut, maple burl and satinwood veneers on gumwood. English 18 century style. Reduced to... **\$450**

\$750—Ten-piece Suite made by Berkey & Gay with walnut, burl walnut and straight grain walnut veneers on gumwood. Solid walnut chairs. Reduced to... **\$485**

\$1564—Ten-piece Royal make Dining Suite with mahogany, maple and maple burl veneers on gumwood. Satinwood inlaid. 18th century style. Reduced to... **\$938**

"LAST ONE" Bedroom Suites

\$346—Berkey & Gay Suite consisting of bed, chest and dresser in walnut veneers on gumwood with satinwood inlay. Genuine mahogany interiors. Reduced to... **\$173**

\$344—Three-piece Jacobean Bedroom Suite, made by Berkey & Gay with walnut, oak and maple veneers on gumwood. Reduced to... **\$225**

\$471—Five-piece Bedroom Suite with twin beds, chest, vanity, dresser in mahogany and crotch mahogany veneers on gumwood with maple burl panels. Beautifully inlaid. Sheraton style. Berkey & Gay make. Reduced to... **\$235**

\$387—Berkey & Gay Louis XVI Suite in walnut and butt walnut veneers on gumwood. Carved and decorated. Consists of twin beds, dresser, chest and vanity. Reduced to... **\$283**

\$295—Same Suite of four pieces, twin beds, chest and toilet table. Reduced to... **\$215**

\$305—Same Suite of four pieces, twin beds, dresser and chest. Reduced to... **\$222**

\$477—Four-piece Berkey & Gay Suite with mahogany, crotch mahogany and straight grain veneers on gumwood. Inlaid with satinwood. Genuine mahogany interiors. Reduced to... **\$285**

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\$141—English style overstuffed Sofa covered in a sunfast red damask of good quality. This is our own make. Reduced to... **\$69.50**

\$214—Berkey & Gay Sofa, Queen Anne style, covered in fine soft green damask. Solid walnut feet. Reduced to... **\$159**

\$247—Berkey & Gay pillow-arm style Sofa, large and luxurious, covered in taupe mohair with linen frieze reverse seat cushions. Reduced to... **\$165**

\$320—Valentine-Seavers, down-filled cushions and down-filled back Sofa in old apricot damask. Reduced to... **\$249**

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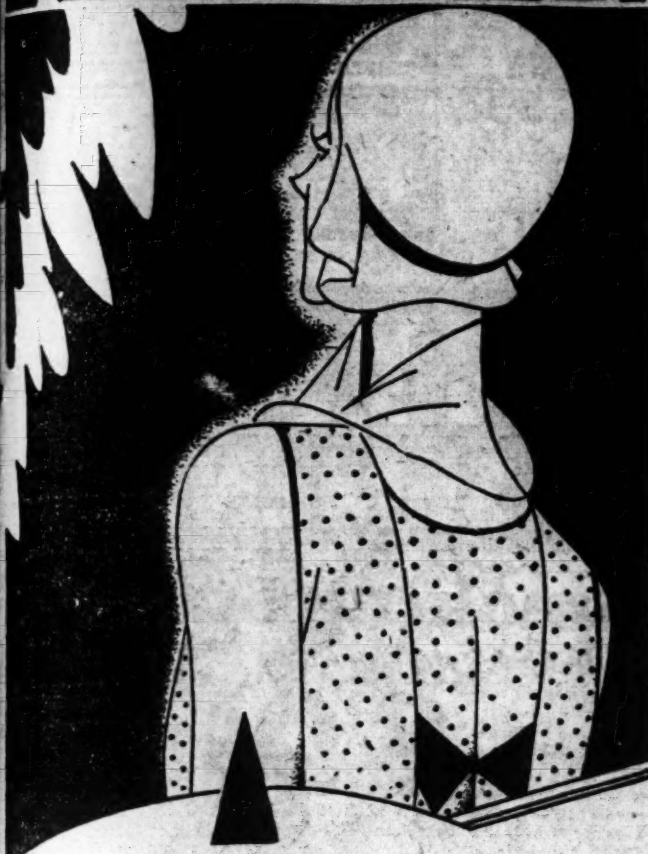
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SPACE CLEARED AT ZOO FOR NEW COLLECTION

Reptiles Captured by Central American Expedition to Be Shown Together.

Snakes and other reptiles captured by the St. Louis Zoo's expedition to Central America will be housed in a separate group at the Reptile House when the expedition returns in about two weeks, George P. Vierheller, director of the Zoological Garden announces.

"We have removed all specimens from the east wall of the house," Vierheller said today. "and will put the specimens in special boxes there. We are doing this in order to show the public what the expedition accomplished and to demonstrate the value of such collecting trips."

The expedition, which will cost approximately \$1500, is financed by the Zoological Society of St. Louis. R. Martin Perkins, chief herpetologist at the zoo, and his assistant, Moody J. R. Lenth, were accompanied by Dr. Willard Bartlett, 53 Westmoreland place. Dr. Bartlett paid his own expenses.

Vierheller also disclosed that the zoo had purchased a pair of alpacas and a pair of vicuñas, South American members of the llama family. The animals are expected within two weeks, he said, and will be the first of the species to be shown in St. Louis. The alpacas cost \$1250 and the vicuñas, \$1250.

Five sea lions also have been ordered to replace several that died of old age last winter. It is the first time in five years that a replacement has been made in the sea lion pool. The price of the sea lions will be determined by their size. Vierheller asked for large specimens, for which he will pay \$125 apiece, while if they are medium-sized, he will pay \$100 apiece. The sea lion pool has been drained and cracks in the bottom have been filled.

U. S. MOVING TOWARD EQUAL OPPORTUNITY, SAYS MELLON

Secretary Declares Americans Have No Reason to Be Dissatisfied With Rate of Progress.

By the Associated Press.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 25.—Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon is convinced that America is moving toward attainment of that which no other nation has achieved—equality of opportunity.

Speaking last night at a banquet given by friends in honor of his seventy-fifth birthday, Secretary Mellon reviewed the financial progress of the nation during his life, and added:

"What has been accomplished, it seems to me, in the period which we have been considering is that the average person in this country now commands the means of a comfortable subsistence to a greater extent and with less effort than ever before in the history of the world. I do not mean to say that we have attained equality of opportunity. No nation ever has attained it. But here in America, if we have not achieved that aim towards which we have been striving, at least we are on the way towards realizing it eventually, nor have we any reason to be dissatisfied with our present rate of progress."

"The opportunities which have so vastly increased in the last generation," Secretary Mellon added, "are only the forerunners of others, and perhaps greater ones, which will come as the result of forces now at work and those constantly being discovered."

The 165 friends in attendance, including many notables of the financial and industrial world, presented to Secretary Mellon a gold loving cup on which was modeled a view of the United States Treasury Building.

GRAND JURY INQUIRY BEGINS INTO COUNTY SEWER WORK

Secretaries of Two Districts Examined, and Five Others Are Summoned.

A grand jury investigation of St. Louis County sewer districts, ordered by Prosecuting Attorney Castien after a request had been made by Circuit Judge Mulvey, was started yesterday with the examination of Henry R. Goewert, former secretary of the Jennings Sewer District and H. O. Hendricks, secretary of the Wellston District.

Five other secretaries have been summoned for Thursday.

SUSPECT NOT IDENTIFIED IN \$10,000 BOND THEFT

Two Other Men Arrested Here for Evansville (Ill.) Authorities Are Under Bond.

By the Associated Press.

EVANSVILLE, Ill., March 25.—Witnesses today failed to identify a suspect returned here yesterday from St. Louis in connection with a holdup at the home of Joseph Siegfried near here 10 days ago in which about \$10,000 worth of bonds obtained. The prisoner is in jail at Chester.

Two other men arrested with him in St. Louis are at liberty under \$10,000 bond each.

Address on Air Mail.

Col. Halsey Dunwoody, executive vice president of the Universal Aviation Corporation, will speak at a meeting of the Mid-South Aeronautic Association at Memphis, Tenn., Thursday and Friday. He will discuss the air mail operation.

CONDUCTOR KILLED WHEN HE JUMPS FROM MOVING ENGINE

Beardstown (Ill.) Man Slips on Snow-covered Platform at East Alton.

P. A. Peters, Beardstown, Ill., a freight train conductor on the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, was killed early today when he slipped on the snow-covered station platform at East Alton, as he jumped from a moving engine. He fell under the tender.

Peters, who was 55 years old, is survived by his widow and two

daughters, and a brother, J. H. Peters, also a conductor.



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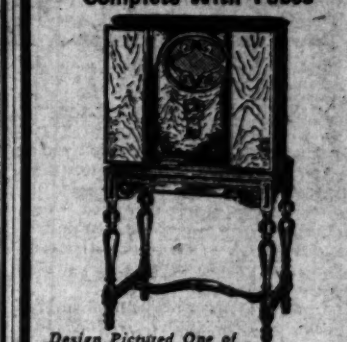
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All Charge Purchases Made Wednesday Payable in May

Bargain Square Special!
Eagle Crepe Dresses
Regular \$6.00 values! Pretty pastel colors! Sleeveless, unshaped models! They wash perfectly, coming out as clear as flower petals! 16 to 44. Each, \$2.49.
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1500 New Spring Dresses

Styles and Qualities You'll Find Elsewhere at \$15 to \$20

\$10

An Event for All Economy Seekers

Just the type of frocks women "take to" at first glance. For they express in a manner most feminine—a dash and youthful daring that is captivating. "Young," every single one of them. "Smart," and distinctly Spring 1930 in fabric, color, line and skirt length! Most important, they are just as "right" in price as they are chic in effect!

The Materials:
Printed Crepes
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Plain Color Crepes
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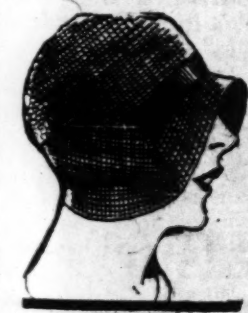
Sizes:
Juniors' 13 to 15
Misses' 14 to 20
Women's 36 to 42

The Styles:
—Smart Tailored Models for Street or Business Wear
—Styles for Afternoon or Semi-Evening Occasions
—Styles for Sports Wear
—Street Frocks

Nugents, Second Floor—Also Uptown and Wellston Stores

Hand Picked From Foremost Designers

These are copies of more expensive dresses, retaining all the clever details. This group represents the best models from a dozen manufacturers—several hundred from this maker and from that, until this great sale collection was gathered together.



Millinery Week at Nugents NEW STRAW HATS

Every Hat Worth \$5.00

Every Hat is individual in its styling and effects. Lacy straw! Bako straw! Novelty braids! Chic! Youthful large head sizes and matrons' hats. In the wanted colors of sand, natural, green and black. Hats to wear the first Spring days when the urge to wear something "new" is greatest!
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1500 Baby Boy Suits

Regular \$1.98 Values

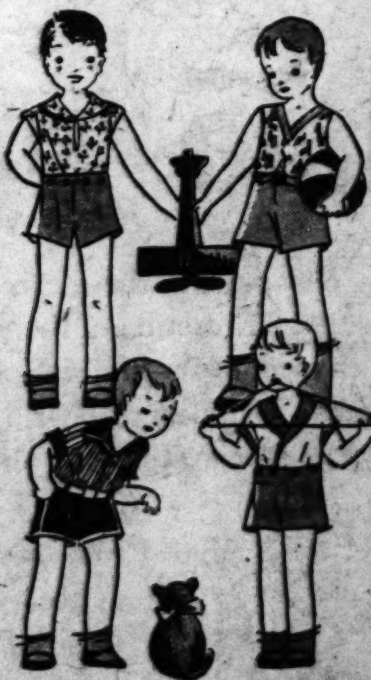
New, crisp Spring and Summer wash suits for the small boy to four years... and styles for the little man to six years! Of sheer, summery materials, dimities, broadcloths, piques and cotton linens. Many different styles—such as plain button-on pants with plain or print blouses. Both sleeve and sleeveless styles. Complete size range. Buy generously in this sale... and solve the clothes problem for weeks to come.

Tots' \$9.98 to \$12.98
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\$7.98

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Straw Hats for the little miss to six years. Adorable, silk-lined caps for infants. Silk bonnets, with elastic backs, for the wee tot to four years.
\$1.98 Gift Blankets for Infants, \$1.59
Large, 36x50-inch size. Four different patterns in animal, floral and conventional designs. Bound all around. Individually boxed.
New Walking Dresses, \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.98
Sheer new styles in sizes 1, 2 and 3 years. Some have panties to match. Others have dainty touches of handwork.



1000 New Spring 2-Trouser Suits

SMARTLEIGH Of Course!

Suits of a Quality You Would Expect to Find at \$7.50 to \$10 More

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New Models—New Patterns—Scores of Shades—Sizes for Men of All Builds
Also 100 Four-Piece Tweed Golf Suits

You will be enthusiastic about these marvelous values! Fine worsteds, serges, tweeds, twines and cashmeres. Styles, colors, patterns, sizes that are sure to meet your requirements! Be among the first Wednesday to buy in this event!

Nugents, Third Floor—Also Uptown and Wellston Stores



Fashion Notes

Many frocks with accompanying bolero jackets.

Capelets, sleeveless and epaulet effects.

Ensemble frocks with contrasting colored blouses.

Sleeveless and long-sleeve models, with many varying treatments.

Flare and draped skirts. Pleated crepe collars and cuffs.

BORAH ASSAILS LEGGE FOR DEBENTURE STAND

Resents Farm Board Head's "Effort to Advise Congress on Legislation."

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 25.—Chairman Legge of the Farm Board was taken to task in the Senate today by Senator Borah of Idaho for his statement yesterday contending the export debenture plan was unworkable.

Borah, who has advocated the export debenture principle of farm relief, which is opposed by President Hoover, placed the Legge statement in the Congressional Record. Alongside it he placed a statement by Alexander Hamilton on the protective tariff, "with apologies to Mr. Hamilton."

"I notice Chairman Legge has taken a little time off from his arduous labors," Borah told the Senate, "to make a statement on the export debenture. I think it would be more satisfactory to the country if Mr. Legge would demonstrate his fitness to deal with the farm situation before he undertakes to advise Congress regarding legislation."

Legge, in opposing the export debenture system, contended "foreign importing countries undoubtedly would put up insurmountable barriers—perhaps to the extent of an embargo—against American produce on which the debentures were operative."

FRECKLES

'Need Attention in March or Face Will Stay Covered All Summer

This is the month to take special care of your complexion if you wish it to look clear and beautiful the rest of the year. March sun and wind have a strong tendency to bring out freckles that will stay all summer unless removed. Now is the time to use Othine Double Strength.

This prescription for removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician, and is so successful that it is always sold with guarantee to refund the money if it does not satisfy.

Get a jar of Othine Double Strength from any drug or department store today—even a few nights' use of this dainty white cream will fade out every last freckle. And once rid of these disfiguring, ugly blemishes, you will reveal your natural birthright—a fair, lovely, milk-white skin that any woman might envy.

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For Tall, Medium or Short Stout Women



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The POST-DISPATCH Regularly prints MORE WANT Ads than ALL the other St. Louis newspapers COMBINED.

SOVIET EMPLOYS AMERICANS TO RUN INDUSTRIES

Under New Contract With New York Firm, Experts From U. S. Will Have Active Management.

By the Associated Press. MOSCOW, March 25.—Complete Americanization of its industries appears to be the goal of the Soviet Government.

Under the stimulus of American engineering skill and enterprise, the Government today decided to erect this year, on modern American lines, a series of huge industrial plants costing \$2,150,000,000. The Government is scrapping most other methods of construction and adopting those which have given the United States first place in world industry. No less than 29 American engineering and technical firms are now operating in Soviet Russia, between them supervising nearly \$300,000,000 worth of construction.

Since withdrawal of W. A. Harriman & Co. from the big Georgian manganese concession, no American financial interests have invested capital in Soviet enterprises. But the number of American engineering firms obtaining profitable contracts is increasing.

The latest contract was signed today with the New York engineering firm, of Stewart, Jungs & Cooke, a concern which already has three contracts with the Government for furnishing technical aid and supervision in the mines of the famous Donetsk coal basin.

This contract, which covers a two-year period, and involves expenditure of several million dollars, departs from previous contracts awarded by the Soviet Government, in that it calls for groups of so-called technical "key-men" from the United States to undertake active management and direction of existing Soviet industrial plants so they will yield the maximum production.

GRANDMOTHER OF BYRD DIES AT 91 IN BALTIMORE

Mrs. Jennie Byrd Kept in Contact With Antarctic Explorer by Radio.

By the Associated Press. BALTIMORE, Md., March 25.—Mrs. Jennie Byrd, 91 years old, the grandmother of Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, now in New Zealand on his way home from the Antarctic, and of former Gov. Harry Flood Byrd of Virginia, died here yesterday.

Mrs. Byrd succumbed in Maryland Hospital for Women, where she was taken 10 days ago, when her condition became serious, after several weeks spent in bed at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. Lester Shipley Jr., with whom she had made her home for 12 years. Funeral services will be held this afternoon and the body will be taken to Winchester, Va., the Byrd family home, for burial tomorrow.

Mrs. Byrd was active until a few weeks ago. She kept in contact with the Byrd exploring party through a short wave radio set operated by Dr. George L. Dickmann.

During the last presidential campaign Mrs. Byrd, who had been confined with a cold, arose and registered, later casting her first ballot. It was for Alfred E. Smith.

THREE MEN INJURED WHEN AUTO COLLIDES WITH A STREET CAR
One of Them Suffers Fractured Skull; Boy, 8, Run Down by Woman Driver.

Edward Wilderman, 8 years old, of 4450 A. Easton avenue, suffered fractures of the skull and left arm when struck by an automobile, at Kingshighway and Easton avenue, at 9:30 o'clock last night. Mrs. Marcelle Spielman, 5219 Cabanne avenue, was the driver of the machine.

Eugene Bishop, 1028 Fairmount avenue, suffered a fractured skull, and Jack Williams, 7190 Forsythe boulevard, and Harvey Schaub, 762 Kingsland avenue, were cut and bruised when a machine driven by Williams collided with a Tower Grove street car at Arsenal street and Kingshighway early today.

J. R. NUTT QUILTS AS BANK HEAD

G. O. P. Treasurer Has Been Mentioned as National Chairman.

By the Associated Press. CLEVELAND, O., March 25.—Recent reports that Joseph R. Nutt, Cleveland banker, was to be named national chairman of the Republican party, were followed today by his resignation as president of the Union Trust Co. Nutt has denied the reports that he would become Republican chairman. He is now treasurer of the Republican National Committee.

Announcement of the resignation as president of the bank was made immediately following a special meeting of directors and was accompanied by announcement that W. M. Baldwin had been elected to succeed him.

Denies West Point Charge.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, N. March 25.—Information in Army circles that Lieutenant-Colonel Robert C. Richardson Jr. would be removed as commandant of cadets at West Point was denied today by Major-General Sumner, chief of the Army General Staff, in a statement issued by Maj. E. W. Savage, chief of the War Department press relations section.

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Polka Dots, Pin Dots and Smart Print Dresses

\$16.75

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"Blouissante" is the name of The Hat sketched, which exploits the chic of the new rolled brim.

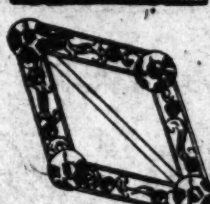
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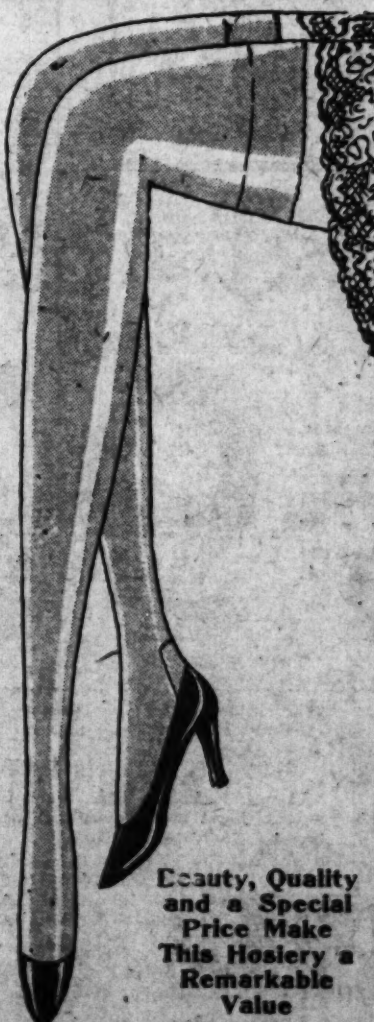
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Cotton Undies Correct for Baby

We feature specially for Baby's Day, cunning little cotton "Undies" for Summer.

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The cunningest slips, panties and sleeveless combinations you ever saw! Bound in pink. Sizes 2 to 6.

Combinations, \$1
Slips... \$1
Panties... 59c

VANTA UNION SUITS, of cotton mesh. French leg style. Sizes 2 to 6... \$1

COTTON SHIRTS for baby. Sleeveless. Infants' to 3 years... 50c

COMBINATIONS with French leg. Made of madras; sizes 2 to 6 years... 65c

BANDEAU SETS for the larger girl 12 to 16. Made of cotton prints... \$1

Other Wednesday Specials:

HANDMADE DRESSES of batiste with fancy smocked yoke. Sizes 1 and 2... \$1.95

PLAY SUITS of chambray, with or without sleeves. Sizes 2 to 6... \$1

SWEATERS, slip-on short-sleeve styles in pastel shades. 2 to 6... \$1.95

CROCHET SACQUES for baby. White, with colored edges... \$1

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Spring—the latest crea-
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Succeeds E. D. Nims as Presi-
dent, Latter Becomes Chair-
man of the Board.

Albert B. Elias, first vice president of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. for the last five years, was elected president of the company today to succeed E. D. Nims, who becomes chairman of the board. Nims has been president of the company for more than 10 years.

Elias, an electrical engineer, rose from the ranks, having entered the service of the New York Telephone Co. 30 years ago as a galvanometer tester.

After a period with the New York company, Elias joined the American Telephone and Telegraph Co. in supervising construction projects on the Pacific Coast, coming to the Southwestern company in 1918 as general plant superintendent for Texas. He became successively general manager for Texas, second vice president, and in 1924, first vice president.

He is a director of the Mississippi Valley Trust Co. and of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce. He lives at the Congress Hotel and is a bachelor.

Nims' retirement as president rounds out a career which began in 1895 in Perry, Ok., when he and two partners linked three small towns in the then Indian Territory with 28 miles of wire. Under his direction hundreds of telephone systems were united to form the present company.

HOUSE GROUP O K'S BILL FIXING ARMY OF OCCUPATION COST

U. S. Will Receive \$272,000,000
from Germany According to
Its Terms.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—In line with the Young plan settlement, the House Ways and Means Committee today approved a bill under which the United States would receive \$272,000,000 from Germany to cover the cost of the American army of occupation.

Payment of the amount has been approved by the German Reichstag, Chairman Hawley of the committee said. Notes relating to it have been exchanged between the two countries.

The original bill presented by this country to Germany called for payment of about \$292,000,000, but this total was scaled down in proportion to the reductions made by other nations in their claims against Germany under the Young plan.

INCOME TAX RECEIPTS \$29,386,676 UNDER 1929

Total on March 22 Was \$517,802,-
027; About \$20,000,000 More
Expected.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—In-
come tax receipts continue to drop
below last year's total, according to
the Treasury statement issued to-
day showing collections up to
March 22, aggregating \$517,802,-
027, as compared with \$547,189,798
for the same number of days in
March, 1929.

Last Saturday the payments to-
taled \$26,102,031, as compared
with \$21,100,874.

While Treasury officials would
not say definitely what the present
collections indicated, it was thought
that the total from the first quar-
ter's payment on 1929 income
would approximate \$140,000,000 or
about \$60,000,000 less than last
year. The Treasury balance for
March 22, 1930, was \$376,489,-
925.66, while last year on the same
day the balance was \$410,571,409.

7000 MEXICANS DEPORTED BY U. S. DURING LAST YEAR

Nearly 6000 Sent Back for Viola-
tions of Immigration Laws;
87 Were Bootleggers.

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and Post-Dispatch.

MEXICO CITY, March 25.—
Nearly 7000 Mexicans were depor-
ted from the United States last
year, according to official figures
made public here. Of this total,
nearly 6000 were returned for
violations of American immigra-
tion laws. The list of deportees
included 17 murderers, 179 thieves,
190 beggars, 87 bootleggers, 25
perjurers and 25 insane persons.

Mexico this year will deport all
Americans found to be in the
country illegally, as well as all im-
moral elements taking refuge in
this country. Police reports say
that many Chicago gangsters have
been taking advantage of the tour-
ist privileges to cross the frontier.

U. S. ROAD BILL TO HOOVER HOUSE ACCEPTS AMENDMENT IN- CREASING STATE AID FUNDS.

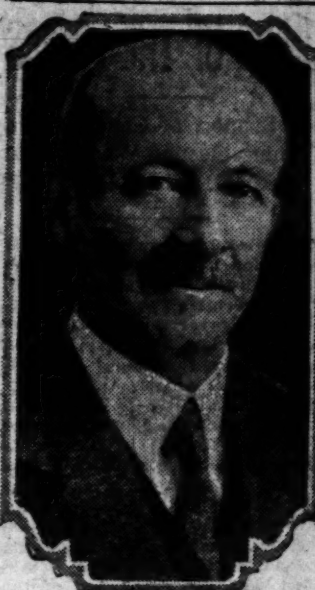
By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The
Senate amendment to the \$200,-
000,000 Dwell bill, increasing
from \$15,000 to \$25,000 a mile the
amount of Federal aid to states
for highway construction, was ac-
cepted today by the House. The
measure now goes to the Presi-
dent.

St. Louis Hearing on April 24.
Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, March 25.—
Hearings on the petition of the
City of St. Louis, for an accounting
by the St. Louis Public Service Co.
of an \$8,369,000 balance that was
in the depreciation fund of the
street railways when the present
owners took the property over,
Dec. 1, 1927, following reorganiza-
tion of the old United Railways
Co., will be resumed here April
24, the Missouri Public Service
Commission announced today.

NEW UTILITY HEAD

—Strauss Photo.
ALBERT B. ELIAS.

Tug Sunk in Fog; Crew Saved.

By the Associated Press.

BALTIMORE, March 25.—The
captain and eight members of the
crew of the tug Mary Clara were
saved today when their craft was
rammed and sunk by the steamer
Calvert in a heavy fog in Baltimore
harbor.

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of the purest," says Dr. N. G. Payot, Parisian beauty
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MISSOURI WETS BEGIN LINING UP THE VOTERS

Seek Support of Candidates in
Coming Election Who Favor
Repeal of Dry Law.

The Missouri Association Against Prohibition has begun a campaign to organize the wet voters of all county precincts to support candidates who favor the repeal of the prohibition law, in approaching county conventions and the primary of next August.

A circular letter is being sent to each of about 6000 key men and women in 111 of the State's 114 counties, recommending a plan of action. James W. Byrnes, former Democratic candidate for Mayor, as vice president of the association, predicted that a direct personal contact would be established with all wet voters of the State including about 45,000 men and women who are on the organization's roster.

Byrnes' Letter.

The letter sent over Byrnes' signature says in part:

"The eighteenth amendment is opposed to our institutions. Ask everyone to inform themselves without prejudice on the eighteenth amendment.

"Write your Congressman and the two Senators from Missouri, also your member of the State Legislature and State Senate asking repeal and the substitution of the Quebec plan under State control.

"Ask your neighbors to write. "Speak to the members of your county committee and be ready to attend county conventions and vote in coming primaries.

"Talk to your local newspaper people and write them to publish all the news about opposition to prohibition.

"Hold meetings of men and women in your precinct."

Opposes Sumptuary Law.

Byrnes, who is in active charge of the campaign, the first undertaken by the organization in more than a year, has compiled statistics on prohibition which show that when the eighteenth amendment was ratified in 1919, 72,000,000 people had no opportunity to express themselves at the polls although only 11.8 per cent lived in states which were bone dry by popular vote or legislative act.

Byrnes plans to follow the first letter from time to time with others offering suggestions to the precinct leaders. His personal opposition to prohibition, he pointed out, was solely because it is sumptuary legislation and not within the province of democratic government.

MAN KILLED, ANOTHER MISSING IN GARY, IND., APARTMENT FIRE

Third Seriously Hurt Trying to
Rescue Father After Saving
Mother and Wife.

By the Associated Press.
GARY, Ind., March 25.—One man was killed, another is missing and a third was injured during a fire which swept through an 18-apartment building early today, driving 100 persons to the street in a blinding snowstorm.

The fire, of undetermined origin, started in the basement, and fanned by the high winds, quickly enveloping the building.

One wall of the building collapsed, carrying with it an unidentified man who was killed. Carl Smith, 65 years old, is missing. His son, Carl E. Smith, 25, was injured, probably fatally, in a futile attempt to save his father. Young Smith carried his mother and wife to safety and then ran back after his father. Driven out by the flames he found the exit cut off. He jumped from an upper story and suffered internal injuries.

The building, on Washington street, just off Fifth avenue, in the heart of the downtown district, was valued at \$150,000 and was a total loss.

Numerous occupants saved themselves by leaping into fire nets. The flames destroyed stairways cutting off all exits except windows.

Springfield Woman Hangs Self.
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 25.—Mrs. Lavica L. Fletcher, 72 years old, hanged herself early yesterday in a barn in the rear of her home here where she lived alone. Indications were that she had fallen in an attempt to hang herself from a tree in the yard. A sister, Mrs. Christy Bell, lives in Kansas City. A son also survives.

Illinoisans Wed 57 Years.
MOVINGQUA, Ill., March 25.—Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Cassey, celebrated their fifty-seventh marriage anniversary Saturday at a family reunion. There were 50 guests.

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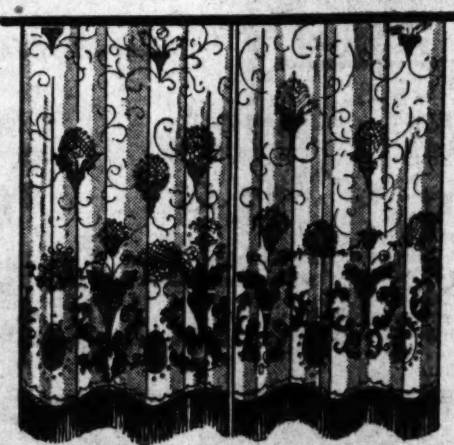
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Sixth Floor

PAGE ELIMINATED IN PLANS FOR U. S. SUPERHIGHWAY

Selection of Part of Avenue
 for State Route 61 Means
 It Will Not Be Used for
 Federal Trail.

Page avenue, advocated by several organizations as a superhighway to carry traffic of United States Highway No. 46, which is to be relocated from Wentville to a Missouri River bridge to be built northwest of Chesterfield, was eliminated from consideration yesterday with the announcement of S. M. Rudder, division engineer of the State Highway Department, that the Eastern one and one-half miles would be used as a part of highway 61.

Highway No. 46 from Kansas City and No. 41 from Hannibal and North Missouri rivers, converge at Wentville and follow St. Charles road to St. Louis after crossing the Missouri River at St. Charles. Obviously, a State highway official said, to make Page the new route for both highways would defeat the purpose of the new locations.

The highway department has made no announcement as to the location of the route for No. 46 from the proposed bridge into St. Louis and the selection of Page for No. 61 leaves two other proposed routes—both of which have been opposed—for consideration.

The Page avenue route had been endorsed by the City Plan Commission, the St. Louis County Chamber of Commerce, the North St. Louis Business Men's Association and the County Highway League.

On the other hand, the other routes suggested, Clayton and Conway roads or its alternative, Clayton and Hibler roads, and Olive Street road, have met opposition from owners of country homes who have built with a view to avoiding heavily traveled roads.

Under the plan announced yesterday, No. 61 would follow St. Charles road, as at present, to Pennsylvania avenue, a dedicated but unimproved road, which then would be followed for three-fourths of a mile south to Page.

This road now is 40 feet wide but property has been acquired with a few exceptions, to widen it to 100 feet, Rudder said. A 40-foot concrete surface will be laid. Bids will be opened Friday for construction of a 56-foot concrete slab along Page from the St. Louis city limits to Pennsylvania. The northern half will be laid first and when construction begins on the southern half, upon which the Midland street car line operates, the Public Service Co. will operate buses, according to Rudder.

Condemnation suits have been filed against owners of 13 pieces of property on the south side of St. Charles road in connection with the State's plan to acquire a 10-foot strip, thus making possible the widening of the 20-foot concrete surface to 40 feet for a distance of six miles east of Pattonville.

HOUSE AGTS TO PLACE BUS LINES UNDER U. S. CONTROL

Parker Bill Gives I. C. C. Regulatory Powers Over Rates and Schedules.

By the Associated Press.
 WASHINGTON, March 25.—The first act by Congress to place interstate motor bus traffic under Government regulation came yesterday with passage by the House of the Parker bill to give the Interstate Commerce Commission jurisdiction over motor carriers.

The final vote was 215 to 118, after a motion to send the measure back to the Interstate Commerce Committee for amendment was rejected 226 to 104. It now goes to the Senate.

Approval followed a week of debate in which the opposition, led by Congressman Rankin of Mississippi, and Huddleston, Alabama, Democrats, contended there was no need for such legislation. They held the various states already had ample power to provide the necessary regulation of the carriers.

In addition to regulatory powers over rates and schedules, the Federal Commission, with the aid of joint boards composed of representatives of states involved, would be required to pass on applications for certificates of necessity and public convenience, which the bus lines would be called upon to obtain. The bus operators also would be compelled to carry surety bonds for the protection of the traveling public.

KANSAS CITY DRUG MAN DENIES HE WAS KIDNAPED

Michael H. Katz Said to Have Paid \$100,000 for His Release.

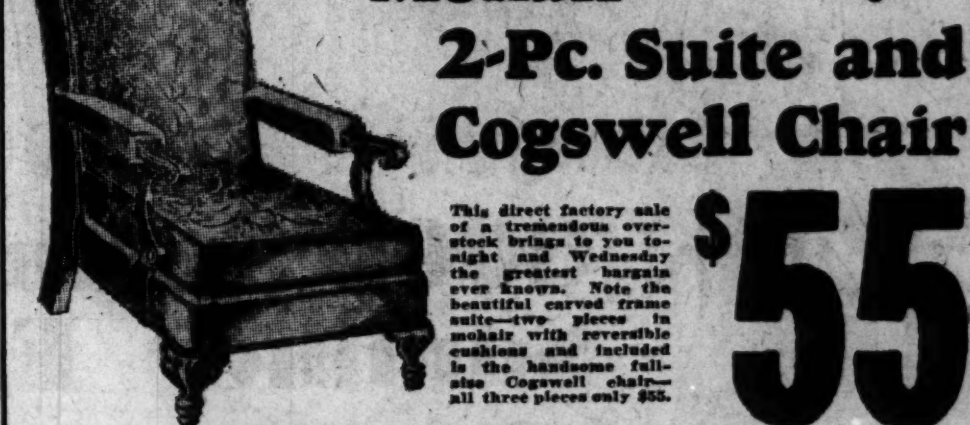
KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 25.—Michael H. Katz, millionaire drug company president, has denied published reports that he had been kidnaped from his automobile near his home last Tuesday and had paid \$100,000 for his release. His denial was corroborated by members of his family while the police conducted an investigation. Katz consented to a conference in his office with Police Chief John L. Miles and E. P. Boyle, Chief of Detectives, but the officers reported Katz was not present when they called and left a note saying he had become indisposed. Isaac Katz, brother and partner of Michael Katz, is named by the Kansas City Star as the payer of the ransom.

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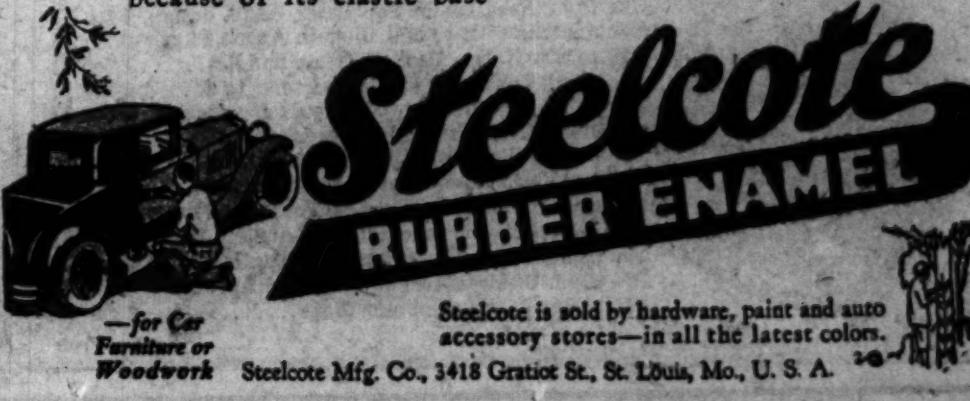
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6000 Spring and Summer Frocks

Specially Purchased and Just Received for This Extraordinary Event That Begins Wednesday

\$1.95 to \$3.95 Values

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¶ The awaited event... that fills the Girls' Section to overflowing... from the minute the doors open! Known for its impressive savings and vast assortments. These Newest Spring dresses... just arrived... and are distinguished by charm and style as well as sturdy, tubfast, well-made quality! There are dozens of styles... all so new and in such glowing colors that mothers will profitably choose a Summer's supply... to the enthusiastic delight of those who wear the frocks!

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Gay, colorful, flowered prints... printed pique... solid colors and floral effects... polka dots, large and small... printed broadcloths... cotton sponge... cotton Shantung... novelty border materials.

STYLES

Tuck-In Suspender Smocked and Tennis Models
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Fifth Floor

Art Needlework Sale

... Wednesday... Offers Wide Variety of Stamped and Finished Articles at

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\$1.50 Fabric Toss-About Animals, dogs, cats, etc. \$1
45c Enamelled Character Hat-Stands, colors 4 for \$1
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\$1.25 45-inch Woven Tapestry Table Runners \$1
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79c 18-in. Needlepoint Tapestry, comp. design, 2 for \$1
58c and 63c Pillows and Oilcloth Apron Pkgs. 2 for \$1
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50c Stpd. Dresses, infants' and tots' to 6 2 for \$1
39c Stpd. Knitd. Drywell Towels for crochet, 4 for \$1
\$1.25 Stpd. Unbleached Spreads, full size \$1
59c Stpd. Pillow Cases, hemstitched hems 2 pairs \$1
83 Stpd. Quilt Blocks, set of 20, 12-inch size \$1
25c Stpd. Colored Border Tea Towels 6 for \$1
75c 12-pocket Cretone Shoe or Laundry Bags 2 for \$1
39c Stpd. Dimity Curtains, sash length 3 pairs \$1
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Sixth Floor

Better Kitchen Service Program

By Miss Miriam Boyd Wednesday at 2 P. M.
Lecture: "Party Suggestions"
Demonstration: Egg and Mushroom Croquettes with Asparagus Tips, Chocolate Rolade, Bird's Nest Salad, Rolled Asparagus Sandwiches.
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When Mothers Will Save Importantly on Babies' Needs

Babies' \$2.95
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Imported fine knit all-wool Slip-ons with cute pockets, side ties and embroidered designs. Pastel shades; 6 mo. to 2 years.

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Well tailored of crepe de chine or satin and lined. Embroidered or applique designs and ribbon binding. Pastel shades.

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Union Suits

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Stuttgart, Sexton and Seabreeze Union Suits of madras, broadcloth and pajama checks. 36 to 50.

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1800-Excelsior Super rayon athletic Union Suits in choice of white and wanted colors. Sizes 36 to 46.

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A most remarkable six-store purchase! High quality, styled right, sized right, tailored right.

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¶ Smocked on round yokes, with feather stitched collars and cuffs and hand hems. Neatly lined and made of good quality crepe de chine. White or light blue; 6 months to 2 years.

New Spring Bonnets, special... \$1.95

Crisp white organdy made over silk linings of pink or light blue with picot ruffles and wide ties. Infancy to 15 mos.

\$2.50 & \$2.95 Philippine Dresses, \$1.85

Exquisite little handmade garments in yoke, panel or collar models with elaborate embroidery and hand-scalloped necks, sleeves and hemlines. 6 months to 2 years.

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Babies' \$2.95 Embroidered Shawls... \$1.85



Baby Creepers Special, \$1

White or pastel gingham or broadcloths; very boyish or for baby girls. Many cunning styles. 6 months to 2 years.

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¶ Nationally known kinds... each group from a celebrated maker. St. Louis men have learned how extremely they profit by selecting a whole season's needs during Famous-Barr Co.'s underwear events. They enjoy, too, the large, convenient Department that makes selection easy.

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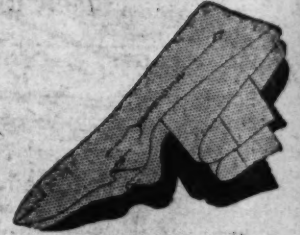
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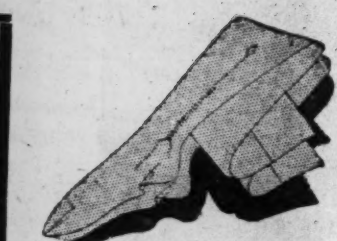
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The annual supply bill for the Agricultural Department, carrying a total of \$187,533,718 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, also was passed by the Senate.

Senator Watson of Indiana, the Republican leader, said the Senate would meet Friday only long enough to adjourn until the following Tuesday when debate will open on the Norris bill providing for Government operation of Missouri.

Legionnaire Killed in Mutiny. WASHINGTON, March 25.—Senator Shipstead, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota, returned to the Senate today from a trip to Panama which had been completely restored. The Portuguese Cabinet has taken all measures to insure peace in the possessions.

Terminal Head, on Train Trip Across Free Bridge, Explains Necessity of New Approaches

Tells Aldermen and Civic Groups His Views of Pending Ordinances—Settlement Nearer Than Ever Before, Says Neun.

Progress toward settlement of the city's bridge problem was indicated by speakers at luncheon that President Henry Miller of the Terminal Railroad Association gave yesterday at Union Station to members of the Board of Aldermen and representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, Merchants' Exchange and other civic organizations.

The luncheon followed an inspection trip made on a special train run over the Municipal Bridge by the Terminal to show the Aldermen and invited guests the physical features involved in providing adequate approaches for full use of the bridge by the Terminal and its proprietary trunk line railroads.

President Neun of the Board of Aldermen, also chairman of the board Special Bridge Committee, said the problem is nearer solution than ever before. Walter B. Widenburger, president of the Chamber of Commerce, said the opportunity is now afforded for an ideal settlement on a sound basis and that public opinion demands such a settlement.

Mayor Frank Doyle of East St. Louis said his city is gratified at the progress made and is eager to co-operate with St. Louis in opening wider the gates of commerce between the two communities.

Says Approaches Are Necessary. President Kinsey of the Board of Public Service said that unquestionably the new approaches proposed in the pending bridge bill, estimated to cost \$2,250,000, are necessary for full and economic use of the Municipal Bridge by the Terminal, and that in years to come even greater facilities will be required for the growing traffic.

Councilor Muench, who wrote the bridge bill, gave the city administration's view that all the approaches to the bridge should be owned ultimately by the city as is provided in the measure. He said the city's rights are fully protected, but that whatever the project, the bill is not clear it should be changed to make it so.

Former Congressman, Cleveland A. Newton, recently selected by the Bridge Committee as special counsel, spoke hopefully of a fair settlement on the basis of facts, and C. E. Valier of the Merchants' Exchange said his organization wanted to see the matter decided in the best interests of the city.

Exchange, through a special committee, has gone on record against the bill, and the Chamber of Commerce, through a special committee of which Jacob M. Lasky was chairman, expressed doubt as to some details of the measure, but approved the purposes sought to be accomplished. In place of this critical attitude, there appeared yesterday a disposition to make the bill as workable as possible.

Bridge Committee to work out a satisfactory solution. And Chairman Neun said the committee proposed to do this with the least possible delay.

Terminal Head's Statement. "We have laid all our cards on the table," said President Miller, and then he epitomized the provisions of the bill, as he understands them, in a prepared statement which he read, as follows:

"Originally, Board Bill No. 700 provided: 'That the railroads complete the Municipal Bridge by building the necessary approaches at involving an outlay of \$2,250,000, which use by the railroads will produce a minimum revenue of \$500,000 per annum.'

"The right of the city to acquire the approaches by an allowance in the rental is included.

"For the abatement of tolls on vehicular and pedestrian traffic on the highway deck of the Eads Bridge, the five-year annual average revenue to be offset by an allowance in rental on the Municipal Bridge."

The results, he said in the prepared statement, would be: "The Municipal Bridge, a facility that for many years has been useless and unproductive, will be used to the utmost and be self-sustaining, the only consideration being to grant a limited use of the railroad deck."

To put it another way, the bridge, now a \$12,000,000 liability, will be converted into a valuable asset.

"Two important and desirable accomplishments without any investment or additional cost to the city."

"The bill," he continues, "was drawn by the City Counselor and the Board of Aldermen were at the luncheon President Miller took occasion to call their attention to the rundown condition of property on Market street facing and near Union Station."

It is the worst front entrance to any city in the country," he said. Delay in the Market street widening and plaza projects, he said, is largely responsible, he said, and he urged the Aldermen to do "something substantial" about it.

BYRD TO CLAIM FOR U. S. THE LAND HE DISCOVERED

In Clearing Up Misapprehension as to Interview, He Says Territory Is Outside the Ross Dependency

SEES NO CAUSE FOR CONTROVERSY

Quotes Dundin Speech in Which He Said 'Antarctica Is Big Enough for All of Us.'

Special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, March 25.—Rear Admiral Richard E. Byrd, in a radio-gram to his personal representative in New York, H. H. Bailey, announced that he will claim for the United States lands he discovered in the Antarctic. He points out the lands lie outside the Ross Dependency and that there should be no ground for controversy.

Byrd sent the message to clear up any misapprehension as to what he had said in an interview in Dundin, N. Z. In an Associated Press dispatch from Dundin on March 18 Byrd was reported as having announced in an interview that he had no intention of claiming for the United States any lands he had discovered.

On March 15 Joseph P. Cotton, Acting Secretary of State, declared in Washington that an announcement by Byrd, if correctly reported, would not be binding upon the United States.

Byrd's statement follows: "S. S. Eleanor Bolling, March 17, 1930. 'Bailey: 'There is a dispatch from Washington published here this a. m. as follows: 'Washington, March 15.—Acting Secretary Cotton of the State Department today expressed the view that the intention of Admiral Byrd not to claim the Antarctic lands which he discovered was not considered binding upon the American Government.'

Quoted His Speech. "Again I have been somewhat misquoted. My speech was as follows: 'I have noted that there has been a tendency in some quarters of America and Europe to create a controversy between the British Empire and the United States concerning our claims in Antarctica. There is no reason or ground for that. We have considered this expedition a scientific venture and we would a sporting one and we went down there with the utmost respect for the British who preceded us. Our work should bring us closer together and not further apart and it would be a pity should any controversy arise. It would go entirely against the feelings and the hopes we have held from the first.'

"We have from the beginning recognized the Ross Dependency. Antarctica is big enough for all of us. Our claim lies entirely outside of the Ross Dependency over to the eastward and there is nothing in the situation that could cause a controversy. We are interested in good fellowship with you in our common investigations down there that we are with any claims in Antarctica. It is another one of those cases where the intangible things of the spirit are far more important than material aspects."

"The above was sent to the United States. Therefore don't understand how it has gone around that I said I was not going to claim lands we discovered."

Accepts Club's Honor. Acknowledging his election together with Charles A. Lindbergh Major-General Robert Lee Bullard and August Hecksher to honorary membership in the New York Athletic Club on March 12, Byrd sent to Maj. William Kennedy, "New York Athletic Club. 'Sorry to have delayed my ac-

EARL OF DERBY TO ATTEND KENTUCKY RACING CLASSIC

Later He Will Visit Washington, Where He May Meet Senator Borah.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, March 25.—The Earl of Derby, British sportsman, who is planning to visit the United States in April to attend the Kentucky Derby at the guest of Joseph E. Widener, will spend some time in Washington, where he may meet Senator Borah, whom he invited to visit England some time ago.

Lord Derby engaged in a rhetorical brush with Senator Borah in the spring of 1927.

"There is one prominent politician," said Lord Derby at that time, "who always seems to think we are agreed. I refer to Senator Borah. I invited him to come to this country, if he will do me the honor, and stay as long as he likes."

Senator Borah later denied that he had ever thought or said that the English people were agree.

"I would really like to visit England and I hope I may find an opportunity to do so," he was quoted as saying. "My mission will not be that of hunting wild game, such as agree, but to know better a people whose highest encomium is that of always having been loyal to their own class, an attitude which prevails rather strongly in the United States and which, I think, is worth preserving."

Lord Derby is now on the continent, but his secretary said he would sail at the end of April. Lord Derby last crossed the Atlantic 37 years ago when he accompanied his father, then Governor-General of Canada, on a state visit to Winnipeg.

TARIFF CONSOLIDATION PLAN ACCEPTED BY 11 COUNTRIES

Conference on International Customs Trade Adjourns at Geneva.

By the Associated Press. GENEVA, March 25.—The diplomatic conference called by the League of Nations to consider proposals for an international tariff truce adjourned last night after adopting a twofold scheme that falls considerably short of the original objectives.

One part of the scheme is a convention embodying engagements to undertake a limited program of economic co-operation for the consolidation of customs duties. Representatives of 11 countries signed this.

The second part was a protocol providing for further negotiations, including a preparatory study of the economic needs of each state and the interrelation of these needs. The delegates of 15 states signed this.

The tariff consolidation scheme amounted to a compromise. The signatories agree not to denounce existing commercial agreements between parties to this convention before April 1, 1931. The convention will be open for ratification of nations until next Nov. 1. If not denounced by any contracting party before that date the convention will go into force after the succeeding April. Then if there be no denunciations it will be in force for another six months.

ALL RUMANIAN PAPERS SEIZED

BUCHAREST, Rumania, March 25.—On orders from the Crown Attorney the police yesterday confiscated the entire issues of the principal daily newspapers published in the capital. All of them had printed a complete story of the meeting of Gen. Averescu's People's party, in which the recall of Prince Carol from exile was demanded.

Copies of Adevărul, Cuvântul, Lupa of signatures and the Independent Rumanian, were among those seized.

German Ship Lines' Agreement. By the Associated Press. BREMEN, Germany, March 25.—Directors of the North German Lloyd line today approved the operation agreement with the Hamburg-American Lines. The agreement was recently drawn up and provides for virtual merger of the two companies. The two companies need only confirmation of their shareholders, which presumably will be a mere formal process.

Knowledge of your cable informing me of my election to honorary membership in the New York Athletic Club, I accept with pleasure and thank you very much.

(Signed), R. E. BYRD.

Raphael Purchased by Chicagoan



ONE of the best-known paintings of the Italian master, which has just been sold to an unnamed Chicago purchaser. The price paid is not known, although it is reported that Baron Rothschild once offered \$500,000 for it. The painting will be put on exhibition at the Chicago Art Museum.

RUSSIAN RABBI COMMUNITY MERGED INTO A COLLECTIVE

Many Lubavitchers Will Be Put to Work, but the Fate of Most Is Unknown.

By the Associated Press. MOSCOW, March 25.—The Jewish Telegraphic Agency reports that the town of Lubavitch, famous as the residence of the Jewish dynasty of Lubavitcher rabbis, has been merged with neighboring villages in a collective scheme. Many of the residents will be put to work in the merged collective, but the fate of most of them is still unknown. Neighboring peasants, as well as the population of Lubavitch are reported to be celebrating the merger with a great parade.

The Lubavitcher rabbis are leaders of a group of Jewish mystics noted for the strictness of their religious observances.

18 INVALIDS IN GANDHI'S PARTY OF 79 CRUSADERS

Hindu Leader Asks That Prayers Be Said for Safety of Followers.

By the Associated Press. BOMBAY, India, March 25.—There are 18 invalids among the 79 devotees who are following Mahatma Gandhi from Ahmadabad to the sea at Rajapur, where they will manufacture salt in defiance of the British monopoly. Gandhi, leaving Samli for Rajapur today, left general directions to be followed, as desired that prayers be said for the safety of his party. Seventeen of the 18 sick ones had to be conveyed here in advance. One was left behind at Anand.

Plus X's Sister Near Death. Copyright, 1930, by the Press and Publishing Co., Inc., New York World and Sun.

ROME, March 25.—Maria Sarto, only surviving sister of the late Pope Pius X, is near death at her home in Piave Rusticucci, within eight of the private apartments of the reigning Pope. Since she first settled in Rome, 27 years ago, she has constantly visited the poor in the district, which she has been doing innumerable acts of kindness. When her brother became Pope, he ardently desired that Maria and her sister should live in the Vatican, but the superior lady, which precludes all women from the Pontiff's private apartments stood in the way.

Plan No. 2—"37 Payment" Shares for Systematic Saving

An original idea created by this Association. The sole purpose of this plan is to help you form the habit of saving a regular, definite, fixed amount each month and to keep that habit for the short period of 37 months. Most of us find difficulty in doing certain things regularly, and among the most important is—saving money.

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KANSAN ADVISES HOUSE TO RETAIN DEBENTURE PLAN IN TARIFF BILL

Sproul, (Rep.) Warns Farmers Will Be Heard From if Proposal Is Rejected—Garner Asks if He Can Get 90 G. O. P. Votes.

VOTE ON RATES BY SECTIONS URGED

If Agricultural Proposition Is Eliminated by Conference "Fight Has Just Begun," Borah Declares in Senate.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, March 25.—Demand for separate consideration of the more important sections of the tariff bill on the House floor was renewed in the House today by Representative Sprout (Rep.), Kansas, who urged retention of the debenture plan as the most important part of the measure.

"I warn this body," the Kansan said, "that if we vote to eliminate the debenture from the Senate bill we will be striking a blow at agriculture that will be heard from."

Representative Garner of Texas, the Democratic leader, asked: "How many Republicans? Sprout called for votes for retention of the controversial debenture."

"I can speak for one Republican," Sprout replied. "But I venture to say there will be as many Republicans voting for the debenture as Democrats."

Needs 90 G. O. P. Votes. "If you get that many we will pass the debenture," Garner said. "If you can get 90 Republicans we can pass it."

The tariff bill that ten months ago this week was passed by the House and sent to the Senate today was formally returned to the House. Speaker Longworth said it would be formally taken up for consideration by the House next Monday.

Longworth said there would be no disposition to rush the tariff bill through, and in some quarters it was indicated, separate votes might be taken on several items in the measure, before it was passed over to a conference committee.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON, Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The revised Hawley-Smoot tariff bill, which seems destined to be known as the "Grundy bill," passed the Senate last yesterday, carrying large increases that will add an estimate

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in the editorial policies; that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight for the rights of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be enticed by merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.
April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Suggests City Operation of Bus Line.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

It is quite evident that an experiment is being made by J. K. Newman's holding company to find out just how much the competition of the green buses is costing the P. B. C. Col. A. T. Perkins, Newman's St. Louis representative in the holding company, said on March 20 that a "mutually satisfactory" settlement of the bus strike would probably take some time, and that he did not look for an early settlement of the strike. The union officials say that they have the greatest confidence in Col. Perkins, and no doubt their confidence is not misplaced. A settlement will be made that will please both the striking employees and Newman and his associates, but will it please the public of St. Louis, who will be forced to ride the P. B. C. cars, jammed in and herded together worse than ever? When the bus strike is settled and green buses are running again on the streets of St. Louis it will probably be found that they will merely serve as feeders for the street cars. It costs less to haul passengers on the street cars than it does on the buses, and we must rest assured that Messrs. Newman, Clarke and the others will know how to get the money.

Why can't the city install and operate buses? By not trying to get a big profit on an inflated valuation, fine service could be given, decent wages paid to the employees and everybody pleased except Newman and his associated financiers, who are not interested in St. Louis transportation except to the extent of squeezing as much as possible out of the riding public. The city has operated buses at Forest Park and given good service and pleased everybody. Public transportation is a public function, and the intelligent thing for the people of St. Louis to do is to see that a municipal transportation system is put into operation. Then we would be free from exploitation and the constant rise in fares, running to the State Public Service Commission for help, etc. It is our own fault that we are victimized by Newman and his associates, for we could make ourselves independent of them if we made the effort. Simply by establishing and operating a municipal bus system we could force the P. B. C. crowd to reasonable terms and keep them from further gouging us. It is about time that the city authorities gave some thought to the welfare of the people who have to ride busses and street cars in St. Louis. The P. B. C. crowd have been having their way for a long time here, so why not give the public a break? G. T. P.

Bobby Has Reappeared.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE just read this evening's (Mar. 20) Post-Dispatch and I have a very important question to ask you. Is Bobby Thatcher III or is this another scheme to sell more papers? How cruel you are to keep us in suspense so long! Now we must wait another day to find out what is going to happen. How would you like to have someone take your story away just as you were about to know whether or not the hero was going to win his fight? You'd love it, wouldn't you? I am sure you know how very anxious we all are to see if old Turtleneck will prove to be a cunning snake or a good fellow. It is time for you to discover the fact. I think the best way to square yourself with Bobby's friends is to have him act twice in tomorrow's paper. How about it? M. B.

Hawes' Vote on the Lumber Tariff.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

PROSPERITY is on the road. All the great lumber camps in Missouri will be operating in full blast thanks to our Democratic Senator. JOE SHEA.

He Nearly Died from Laughter.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

AFTER reading the letter from the physician who could not help laughing after he read your editorial, "Carnegie's Next Opponent," I nearly died from laughter. This physician undoubtedly fears that Carnegie will be the next champion, so to gratify certain inner desires he tells us that the Italian is afflicted with acromegaly. This reminds me of my friend who bet me even money that Wiggins would outpoint the giant. The reason for his foolish bet was not because he really thought Wiggins would win but because he "would like to see him win." The physician knows Carnegie is not in need of hospital care, but he would like to see him in a hospital. EDWARD A. RICCI.

Burning Opinion on a Cold Cause.
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I AM informed that Charles Evans Hughes, while Secretary of State, was earnestly solicited to make claim to all or any part of the land in the Antarctic, but flatly refused to act. England later took possession of it all. This amazing negligence and lack of vision on the part of Mr. Hughes will forever hamper our prospecting, communications, commerce, revenue and allied rights there. Hughes should be called upon to correct his stupendous error in all ways within his power; and Congress should take action. The newspapers can help. ELOYD ARMSTRONG, Walla Walla, Wash.

A VICTORY FOR THE RIVERS.

Gen. Ashburn of the Inland Waterway Corporation announces an agreement with the Rock Island by which all rail-water switching charges at Peoria and Rock Island, Ill., will be put on a reciprocal basis. Heretofore, except for the Illinois Central's reciprocal arrangement at Cairo, railroads have compelled the Government barge line to pay from \$5 to \$10 a car as switching charges. In other words, they have refused to recognize the barge line as a common carrier. Gen. Ashburn says the Rock Island agreement will save the Government line \$200,000 a year. Furthermore, that agreement is symptomatic of the progress of waterway transportation toward the position of equality it deserves in the national economy.

While the railroads as a whole have not quit fighting to discredit and place handicaps in the way of waterway transportation, progressive railroad officials are beginning to realize that it is a losing battle. It is a losing battle because, while waterways will never supplant steel rails, the time will come when they will be a vital part of the nation's transportation system. New railroad construction has virtually ceased, but freight and passenger traffic is ever on the increase, and the amount of traffic that can be handled by rail is slowly reaching its peak. Barge lines, now in an elementary stage of development, will be sorely needed to carry products of farms and factories and to provide an outlet for congested railroads. Motor trucks and buses, passenger and cargo airplanes will also be important factors in the whole picture.

It is noteworthy that many railroad men, foreseeing the inevitable, have embraced the airplane and automobile as supplementary to railroad transportation. Many railroads, rather than suffer competition of outsiders, have gone into the aviation and automobile business themselves. There is every reason why they should also interest themselves in waterway transportation. The Government barge line has already demonstrated its feasibility and is in the field only until private capital takes it over. Gen. Ashburn says: "Paradoxically, the Government will be successful in the business if it is driven out of business. If the time comes when we cannot operate because of the competition of private enterprise, then we shall have succeeded in what we started out to do."

As experts in transportation, the railroads themselves are best equipped to enter the field of waterway transportation. Will they do so, or will they follow the historic policy of conservatism by which they yielded the tremendously lucrative sleeping car and express business to other hands, and which permitted the automobile and airplane industries to get a tremendous start before railroad men began to see that they could be made sources of added railroad revenue?

MR. COOLIDGE'S LITERARY STYLE.

Mr. Coolidge announces that in a forthcoming magazine article he will "touch on prohibition, the tariff, suggestions that I run for Senator from Massachusetts and suggestions that I run for President, and the year since I have been at home." He could do all that, in his own peculiar style, in a paragraph like the following:

During the year that I have been at home there has been a good deal of discussion of prohibition and the tariff. I have received many friendly suggestions, some of these being that I should run for Senator from Massachusetts, and that I should run for President. Yes, it has been an interesting year. My trip to California was most enjoyable, etc.

THOSE CAUTIOUS TEXANS.

It is not the custom of the country for a state to refuse admittance to convicts at its prisons because those establishments are crowded. Texas offers an innovation in her Prison Board's order to receive no more men until the situation is cleared up.

Further disregard of the current practice is shown in the figures which moved the board to its action. The State penal system has accommodations for 5000 prisoners, and now houses 5125. They call that overcrowding in Texas! In other states, and in Federal prisons, that would be just a nice start toward getting the places comfortably filled. Here in Missouri, where 4000 prisoners spend their days in quarters built for half that number, the excess was nearly that great before any voice in authority was raised to criticize. Leavenworth and Atlanta were overcrowded more than 100 per cent before the Government took action. Overcrowding, Texas well knows, lies at the bottom of prison riots and mutinies. Prison facilities must keep up with the endless glist ground under the mills of the courts. Texas is not using undue caution, merely hard commonsense.

A CENTURY OF MODERN GREEK.

Of the rich record that is Greek history, only a brief chapter at the latter end of the scroll tells the tale of modern Greece. The nation with a heritage of more than 3000 years today celebrates its first century of independence. After the end of the glory that was Greece, after the fall of Rome and the decay of the Byzantines, there followed centuries of darkness under the Turk. There were sporadic rebellions, but it was not until March 25, 1821, that the revolt against Ottoman rule really began. A long and bloody struggle followed, which all Europe viewed as a struggle for the freedom of the Balkans, of freedom against tyranny. It was ended by recognition of Greek independence in the London protocol of Feb. 3, 1830.

Greek-American patriotic societies have chosen March 25 as the date for celebrating the centennial of their homeland's freedom. This date also is the sixth anniversary of the Greek Republic. There are 800,000 persons of Greek descent in the United States. Apart from this fact, the bond between America and modern Hellas is strong; because this country was the first to give official recognition to its cause. President Monroe in his message to Congress in 1823 renewed inspiration of Greek patriots by these words:

A strong hope has been long entertained, founded on the heroic struggle of the Greeks, that they would succeed in their contest and resume their equal station among the nations of the earth. There is good cause to believe that their country has lost forever all dominion over them; that Greece will become again an independent nation. That she may obtain that rank is the object of our most ardent wishes.

Modern culture owes an unrepayable debt to the ancient Greeks. In language, architecture, science, art, poetry, drama and philosophy, the classical inheritance is the foundation. No nation of ancient times put itself on record more completely than the

Greeks. From their writings man has been enabled to trace the development of his mind since history began. The Greek of today, particularly in the years since the World War, has become especially sensitive to his heritage. Communities of Greek descent, scattered to alien lands in the dark days of repression, are returning to their home soil. The population of Greece has never in modern times been more thoroughly Greek than now.

THE PLAZA.

Mayor Miller has notified the Convention, Publicity and Tourist Bureau, which is interested in getting the municipal auditorium built, that the city has not enough money in sight from the bond issue to build the auditorium and complete the Memorial Plaza.

It has been foreseen for some time that this would be the case. Only estimates were available when the bonds were voted, and these estimates have in all cases been exceeded by the increased costs of building and acquiring land. The owners of the property wanted for the Plaza have usually held out for as much as they could get. Enthusiasm for the Plaza, and the heavy vote for the bonds, did not change human nature.

The way out is through another bond issue. The lighting system is also incomplete. An \$8,000,000 allowance made for it in the original bond issue has served to build only approximately 70 per cent of it. There is, too, the widening of Third street, a proposal which proper conservation of values in the downtown section insistently demands. The supplementary bond issue ought not to be unnecessarily delayed. It will take time to organize it and decide upon the items it should carry. Meanwhile the Soldiers' Memorial, the auditorium, the complete lighting system and the widening of Third street all wait upon its passage.

INSIDE AND OUTSIDE.

One of the difficulties of taking seriously such a statement as Mr. Wickersham has just made before the Senate Judiciary Committee is that to those inside the Government the law is not always what it is to those outside.

Mr. Wickersham is chairman of Mr. Hoover's Law Enforcement Commission, and as such looks at prohibition from within. He therefore goes through the droll pantomime of seeking to "discover how it can be enforced, and in that solemn make-believe says that until it has been given a fair test "no one can say absolutely whether the law can or cannot be enforced."

Similarly, if pressed, the Governor of Kansas would hesitate to say that without a fair test the law which makes it a misdemeanor not to kill a grasshopper on sight can or cannot be enforced. Nor could that most excellent executive, the Governor of Missouri, easily be cajoled into saying that the law against hunting on Sunday in this State is a joke. We do not know how the Governor of Iowa feels about the law up in that State which forbids driving on Sunday faster than a horse can walk, but we dare say that if publicly approached he would say it is the law and as such must be respected. Probably the Mayor of Los Angeles may not look wholly serious if he were asked how the ordinance out there which forbids shooting jackrabbits from the platforms of street cars ought to be regarded. He could only tighten the muscles about his mouth and seem to be serious.

In that mistaken conception of law which is ours the insiders cannot say this law is a failure and that one a success. There comes a time in the case of a very bad law, of course, when they must perforce say it is a bad law. Meanwhile, only the outsiders can say so, and as one of the outsiders we wish to say that prohibition has been tested for 10 years and has abundantly proved itself unenforceable.

TAXES ON AVIATION GASOLINE.

Airplanes do not use public highways and therefore aviation should not be required to pay gasoline taxes. That is the argument of Frank Phillips, president of the Phillips Petroleum Corporation, one of the largest producers of aviation gasoline, in his campaign to relieve aviation of this burden. It seems that 16 states collect a tax on aviation gasoline and provide no refund; 23 states do provide for a refund; the remaining nine refund taxes only in instances of commercial use. But the red tape and expense involved in obtaining refunds considerably diminishes the amount repaid and often prevents users of aviation gasoline from applying for refunds. Commercial aviation is young and is battling hard for a livelihood. It should not be required to pay for public improvements from which it gains no benefit. We believe Mr. Phillips' campaign deserves and will have success.

VOTE YES AT THE POLLS TODAY.

A very important issue will be decided at the polls today—whether the 55-cent school tax will be continued for another four years or whether it will revert to 60 cents. In order to maintain the present activities and standards of St. Louis schools taxpayers should go to the polls today, vote YES and scratch NO. Unless the 55-cent tax is retained the school system will be seriously handicapped, to the detriment of the children.

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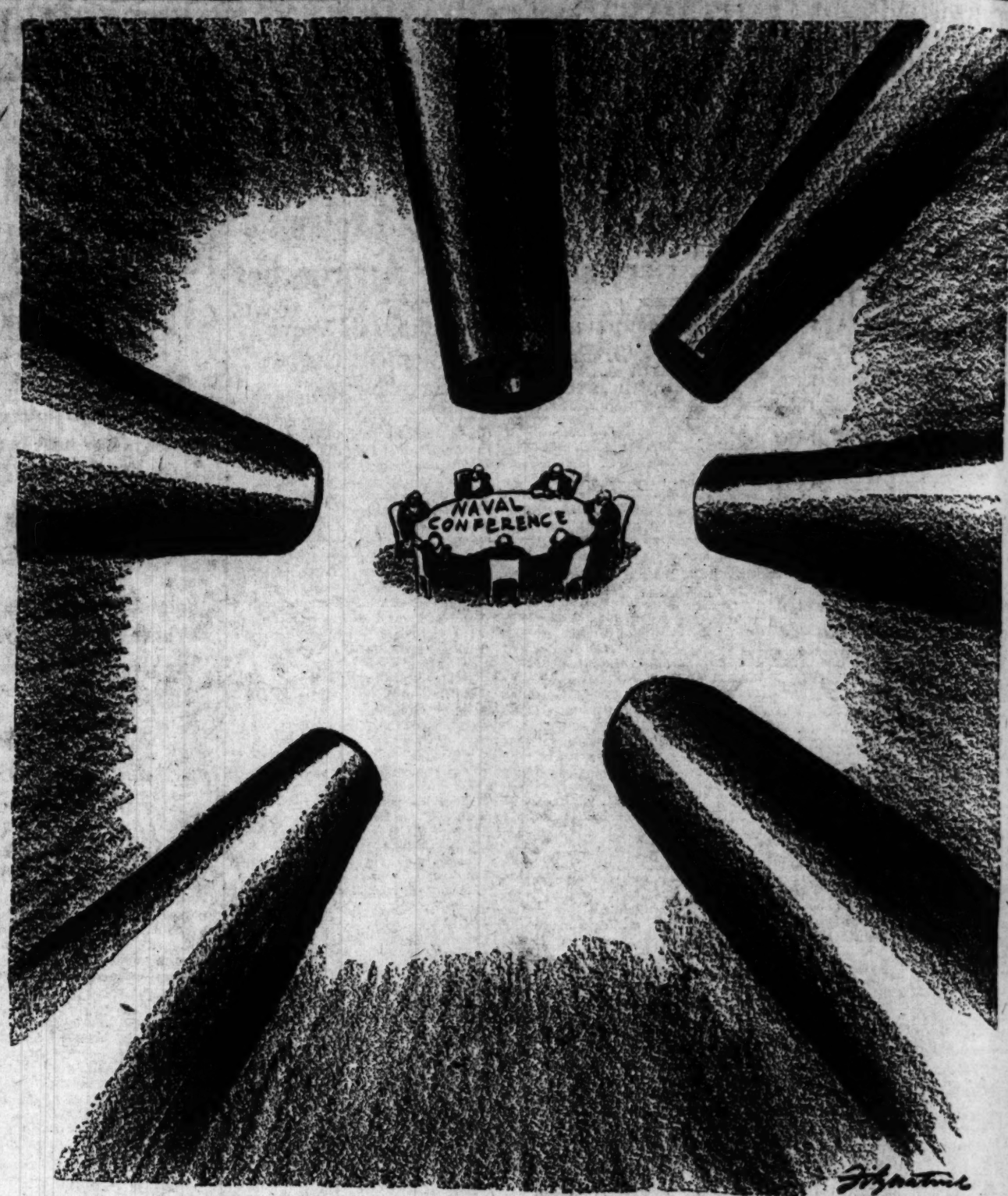
Last Saturday we reprinted from the Outlook and Independent an editorial announcing that magazine's opposition to prohibition in which the following statement was made:

The Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. has published the fact that the alcoholic death rate among their 15,000,000 policy holders has increased nearly 800 per cent in the last 10 years—double what it was in 1915 and approximately the same as in the years preceding.

The figure of 800 per cent taxed our credulity. Against the chance that it was a typographical error, we telegraphed Louis L. Dublin, the Metropolitan Company's statistical expert, for confirmation. Dr. Dublin sends the following reply:

Extract from statement published in January statistical bulletin follows: "The 1929 alcoholism death rate is nearly six times as high as that for 1920, the first year of national prohibition, in which the lowest mortality from alcoholism was recorded. The 1929 mortality rate is approximately double that for 1918, the final year of the World War; and nearly two and one-half times as high as the figure for 1919, the wartime prohibition year. The mortality from alcoholism since national prohibition has not been quite as high as for any of the years between 1911 and 1917."

Anyway, Doherty will not do it again.



ANOTHER NOBLE EXPERIMENT IN TROUBLE.

Press Opinion on Book Censorship

Cleveland Press calls Senate debate on censoring literature a "silly spectacle"; Smoot's measure in effect gives American fifth protective tariff, says Louisville Courier-Journal; Kansas City Star feels jury trial is improvement over Louisville officials' ruling; Baltimore Evening Sun praises Cutting for leadership against bad law.

SILLY SPECTACLE.

From the Cleveland Press.
THERE has been no public spectacle for many years as silly as that in the Senate of the United States when the question of customs censorship of books was debated and determined. Like children trying to frighten themselves at Halloween, grown men shuddered and shouted and shook their fists at imaginary bogies. Ignorance and intolerance won.

To censor thought and literary expression of countries other than our own can harm no one but ourselves, but it can scarcely fail to harm us. Enforced literary censorship would cut us off from the ideas of the rest of the world, deprive us of important scientific information, and leave us without a basis for judging and evaluating ourselves and those about us. Enforced literary censorship opens a new avenue of bootlegging.

PROBLEMS OF CENSORSHIP.

From the Chicago Tribune.
CENSORSHIP is forever delivering decrees which time makes ridiculous or proves erroneous and obtrusive to human progress. It has always been the servant of some sort of tyranny which a new generation or a subsequent age escapes or overthrows. The confident moral judgments of Senator Smoot are discredited by many even of his contemporaries who under the American system are or ought to be as free to make their own judgments as he.

CUTTING SETS A RECORD.

From the Baltimore Evening Sun.
SENATOR BRONSON CUTTING, of New Mexico, has established a reputation for himself in a curious way. His first action which has attracted national attention was a partly successful assault on a bad law. Many Senators have become conspicuous through the bad laws they have pushed through, and some have become conspicuous by the good law they have advocated. But it is hard to resist another whose claim to fame rests on the bad laws he has had repealed.

True, Senator Cutting did not succeed in abolishing the stupid and vicious censorship of books by customs inspectors, but he did succeed in securing the repeal of a law which gave the right to their day in court. Hereafter a customs inspector cannot destroy a book until he has proved in open court that it is obscene. For so much gain the country is indebted to the Senator from New Mexico, the first champion of learning that the Senate has produced in many a day.

PROTECTING AMERICAN FILM.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal.
SENATOR SMOOT is so imbued with the high tariff idea that he seeks to protect American film and American decency. At a time when the output of salacious literature in this country is at its peak, the Utah protectionist rallies his cohorts together in an effort to prevent the importation of any objectionable volume and to restore the censorship professed over by the customs officials. The only result of the censorship is not

to protect the United States from contamination but to further the thriving home industry that is now turning out salacious "literature." A censorship under any circumstances is not in consonance with American liberty. The Smoot measure is worse. It is a mockery.

GOOD NEWS FOR OUR SMUTMONGERS.

From the Milwaukee Journal.
WE cannot sweep the shelves so clean that there will not always be dirt enough for those who want it. Our hope of clean literature is not in educating against depraved tastes, and there is not much education in denying a small amount of the stuff, or what a customs inspector thinks is nasty stuff, while there will be plenty of it lying around. We wish it were the foreign literature only that peddled filth, but unhappily there is plenty of it manufactured in America, too. The effect of a customs censorship can only be to encourage those who produce it and those who sell it.

A MODIFIED TARIFF CENSORSHIP.

From the Kansas City Star.
THE book censorship provisions of the new tariff bill are a distinct improvement over the present arrangement, although it is unfortunate that the Senate failed to stand by its original decision, which would have eliminated other objectionable features. By recognizing the right of an importer to a jury trial before his property may be destroyed, the Senate is not merely re-establishing a fundamental right, but is ending a form of tyranny that is wholly inconsistent with American tradition. If our readers are to be censored, at least the standards are not to be set by some political appointees. The jury should prove an important protection against stupid and intolerant decisions.

The limitation of the right of free speech in time of peace on the basis of "treason" is a dangerous practice. Its resurgence in a tariff bill is certainly unnecessary. It is to be hoped the jury will refuse to allow this provision to be used to stop the importation of any book discussing social experiments and theories. They would do well to remember Mr. Justice Holmes's dictum that the "best test of truth is the power of the thought to get itself accepted in the competition of the market."

SMOOT'S WINTER READING.

From the Cleveland Plain Dealer.
WE have no hesitation in saying that our objections to obscene books are as deep-seated and sincere as are those of Mr. Smoot, even though we have not spent a winter brooding from forbidden trees of knowledge. Where we differ with him and with those who think with him on this subject is in our firm conviction that a customs inspector is not qualified to say what books are fit for the American people to read.

OVERWORKING.

From the Dayton News.
WE understand it, the Government is being kept too busy enforcing prohibition to arrest any bootleggers.



WASHINGTON, March 25.

THE House of Representatives awoke the other day with something closely akin to a start to find itself being given an elaborate course in the art of cooking.

The instructor was the new Congressman from the bayou country of Louisiana—Numa Montet. Members of the House at for almost 15 minutes as Montet, with a decided French accent, gave them recipes after recipe which he said that he had tried personally and found good.

An excellent creator of Creole dishes, the robust freshman Representative from Louisiana decided to make use of his knowledge of cuisine in his maiden speech in the House.

His subject was rice. Louisiana has for a number of years produced more than 40 per cent of the rice grown in this country, and Montet's district is vitally interested in this commodity.

"If the public only knew how to cook rice," said Montet, "there would be little or no surplus demanding the attention of the Federal Farm Board."

Then step by step he led his colleagues through a mass of recipes, from the simple one on how to prepare rice for gravy to those for the more complicated dishes such as rice vegetable casserole.

Montet let his colleagues in on a few of his prized recipes—those that he said he had worked out in the kitchen of his little "hunting shack" on Bayou Lafourche, in the Acadian country of Louisiana.

One was "Creole rice," a mixture of chopped onions, tomatoes, green peppers and rice. Another was "rice tamale," rice and meat wrapped in the outside leaves of cabbage and baked in tomatoes.

REPRESENTATIVE EDITH NOURSE ROGERS, who enlisted the aid of the Bureau of Standards a few months ago to help her find a self-extinguishing cigarette, now finds herself deluged with cigarettes of all kinds.

For a while her little office on the fourth floor of the House office building resembled a tobacco store. Cartons of cigarettes were on all sides.

Mrs. Rogers has never smoked in her life. Callers at her office had only to choose their brand to get a liberal supply.

NEW MEXICO'S BOTTOMLESS PIT.

From the Oklahoma City Daily Oklahoman.
ANNOUNCEMENT that explorers have found a bottomless pit in Canadian cavern will come as no surprise at all to those disturbed souls who have read for many years of political manipulation and official maladministration in New Mexico. They reached the conclusion long ago that the bottomless pit of Revelations is located somewhere in that State of surface anarchy, bilingual legislature, contested water holes and Albert Bacon Fall.

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JOHN G. NEIHARDT

Well Balanced Biography

FRANK WARRIOR: A LIFE OF ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON. By Jean Marie Carré. Edward McCann, Inc. New York.

It would be possible, perhaps, to get to certain well known facts of distortion by selection, to write an over-emphatic, to write a "up-to-date" biography of Robert Louis Stevenson. But it is rather difficult to do so.

Stevenson, even with the general public, for the simple, obvious fact that, while the development of Stevenson's genius, and consequently the whole course of his life, determined largely by two men, both loved him much as a father leaves a child, and neither failed him, nor is there any reason to suppose that he failed.

First of these women was Stevenson's childhood nurse, Alison Cunningham, who aroused and fed the wonder. The other was his wife, Fanny Osbourne. It would be a psycho-analytical imagination far greater than any now existing in literature—and that is a great deal to find any one's life so interesting. A lively discussion of the general spirit for her boy even after he was and although Stevenson fell in with Mrs. Osbourne before she was free to marry him, the affair, the not only carried through to a conclusion with old-fashioned honor, but the years that followed proved the genuineness of the depth of the feeling that was within.

There was another woman, Mrs. Gill; but her influence, though considerable for a time, was brief; hers also was evidently the active maternal attitude. In the full tide of adolescence, when Stevenson was breaking the chains of an unsuitable environment, there seems to have been a girl who was "no better than she should have been." But it is generally such a girl, if not three or four of her; and the recollection of that intoxicating springtime too dim to read. Even if it were still clear, there is to be nothing much to be made by an honest and understanding biographer, save for the wild glory that may fill such a girl's dreams.

So it happens that Jean Marie Carré, author of a famous biography of Goethe, has written a story of a genius that may be from cover to cover without tiring to maintain something of the old-fashioned but rather telling prejudice that women of master, integrity, high principles, deep, enduring affection are able—even in the life of a gen-

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Of Making Many Books

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TRAIL WARRIOR: A LIFE OF ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON. By Jean Marie Carré. Macmillan, Inc., New York.

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Stevenson was a man of many parts. He was a writer, a traveler, a man of letters, a man of action, a man of the law, a man of the church, a man of the state, a man of the world. He was a man of many parts, and his life was a life of many parts.

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GILLETTE'S FAREWELL IN 'SHERLOCK HOLMES'

Actor, Out of Retirement for Final Tour, Seen at American.

SHERLOCK HOLMES. A play in four acts by William Gillette and Sir Arthur Conan Doyle. Presented at the American Theater, New York.

The Chinese quarter is no longer a transplanted bit of Orient. With its almost complete Americanization it has been to the laws of its adopted country. Sliced-off shoguns do not run the streets with blood. Tong battles are becoming memories.

Slip-slapping sandals, knive-strapped inside kimonoed sleeves and such have vanished with the change. Charlie Boston symbolized the change. He had taken a Western name and a Western religion. Although he founded On Loon Tong, he was, in the sunset of life, a peacemaker.

A Chinese Presbyterian minister officiated at the funeral and wrote a eulogy in a tight, formal dinner coat and his ankles were laced in fawn spats. The only concession to the religion of his forefathers was a sheaf of wheat in his coffin for the "spirits."

The half-lidded indifference and aura of mysticism once characterizing Chinatown have given way to a new world alertness and a gleam of light in the eyes. Very few tradesmen have living quarters there any more. It subsists almost entirely upon patronage of sightseers.

Indeed, many believe Chinatown is doomed. A real estate development is in the making which may transform its dingy hovels and underground catacombs into a public square around which will arise model and sanitary tenements.

In the past 10 years Chinese have displayed an amazing aptitude for Occidental business methods. been elsewhere, not to see "Sherlock Holmes" as a drama, but to pay tribute to the skill and art of William Gillette. Both are as marked as they were in the days of the old Olympic Theater.

And this farewell tour of Gillette's is no catch-penny affair by any means. The star is surrounded by an excellent company of actors. Some of them—John Milford, for instance, who plays the arch-criminal Professor Moriarty—were with Gillette years ago and the newcomers are equal, in every way, to the veterans of the drama.

New York Day by Day

By O. O. McIntyre

NEW YORK, March 25.—CHINATOWN, with the passing of Charlie Boston, is without a self-appointed Mayor for the first time in many years. It is probable, too, that there will never be another ruler in the queer medley of trust streets spraying off Chatham Square.

The Chinese quarter is no longer a transplanted bit of Orient. With its almost complete Americanization it has been to the laws of its adopted country. Sliced-off shoguns do not run the streets with blood. Tong battles are becoming memories.

Slip-slapping sandals, knive-strapped inside kimonoed sleeves and such have vanished with the change. Charlie Boston symbolized the change. He had taken a Western name and a Western religion. Although he founded On Loon Tong, he was, in the sunset of life, a peacemaker.

A Chinese Presbyterian minister officiated at the funeral and wrote a eulogy in a tight, formal dinner coat and his ankles were laced in fawn spats. The only concession to the religion of his forefathers was a sheaf of wheat in his coffin for the "spirits."

The half-lidded indifference and aura of mysticism once characterizing Chinatown have given way to a new world alertness and a gleam of light in the eyes. Very few tradesmen have living quarters there any more. It subsists almost entirely upon patronage of sightseers.

Indeed, many believe Chinatown is doomed. A real estate development is in the making which may transform its dingy hovels and underground catacombs into a public square around which will arise model and sanitary tenements.

In the past 10 years Chinese have displayed an amazing aptitude for Occidental business methods. been elsewhere, not to see "Sherlock Holmes" as a drama, but to pay tribute to the skill and art of William Gillette. Both are as marked as they were in the days of the old Olympic Theater.

And this farewell tour of Gillette's is no catch-penny affair by any means. The star is surrounded by an excellent company of actors. Some of them—John Milford, for instance, who plays the arch-criminal Professor Moriarty—were with Gillette years ago and the newcomers are equal, in every way, to the veterans of the drama.

And his hat fits him still. (Copyright, 1930.)

HERE FROM DENVER



MRS. MILTON E. BENNETT

WHO has arrived from Denver, Colo., to spend several weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hemslay, 6918 Washington boulevard. Before her marriage she was Miss Florence Hemslay.

WILLIAM ROSS McLEAN DIES. Active in Amateur Theatricals Here in Days of Pickwick Club.

William Ross McLean, active in amateur theatricals in St. Louis 40 years ago, died in Los Angeles yesterday after a lingering illness. McLean appeared frequently in productions of the Pickwick and McCulloch dramatic clubs at the old Pickwick Theater, opposite the present Coleman on Washington avenue. He was 63 years old and a native of Scotland.

Surviving are four sisters, Mrs. Lester Outlander, 4116 Cleveland avenue; Mrs. Will Carson, St. Paul, Minn.; Miss Christine Logan, Fort Worth, Tex.; and Mrs. George Findlay, San Diego, Cal. Funeral services and burial will take place in Los Angeles Thursday.

N. B. Blackstone, Banker, Dies. By the Associated Press. LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 25.—Nathaniel B. Blackstone, 87 years old, merchant and banker, died of heart disease while taking a nap here yesterday. Born on a farm near Livermore, Me., he clerked in a dry goods store in Brockton, Mass., later acquired a partnership in a store in Boston. He came to Los Angeles in 1887. He retired in 1917.

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SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

MR. AND MRS. JOHN LAWRENCE MAURAN, 46 Vandewater place, have as a guest their daughter, Mrs. Willard Van Voast Warren of Concord, Mass., who arrived Wednesday for a visit with her family and close friends. She will remain a week or ten days. Mrs. Warren accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Mauran to St. Louis on their return from a trip to Southern resorts, including Nassau in the Bahamas. They stopped in the hotel for a visit with their daughter.

Mrs. Warren has been entertained at informal luncheons, and Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hall Knight of the Oxford Apartments gave a dinner in her honor at the Bridlepath Hunt Club. Yesterday Mr. Oliver J. Anderson, Ladue road, was hostess at a luncheon at the Deer Creek Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Mauran will remain in St. Louis until June, when they will depart for their summer home at Dublin, N. H.

Mr. John Frazer, Toronto, Ontario, who has been the guest of Mrs. William C. D'Arcy, 6 Hortense place, a fortnight, will depart tomorrow for Orlando, Fla., to spend a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Larkin, before returning to her home. Several informal parties have been given in her honor and this evening a small dinner will be given by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pangman at their home, 4654 Pershing avenue. Last evening, Mrs. James M. Carpenter, 4450 Westminister place, was hostess at a dinner for Mrs. Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. D'Arcy's daughter, Helen, will arrive Friday from Miss Wright's School, Bryn Mawr, Pa., to spend the spring vacation with her parents.

Dr. and Mrs. Horace W. Soper, 4721 Westminister place, are entertaining Dr. Soper's sister, Mrs. Ira D. Scott, Boulder, Colo., and her daughter, Helen. They will be in St. Louis about a week.

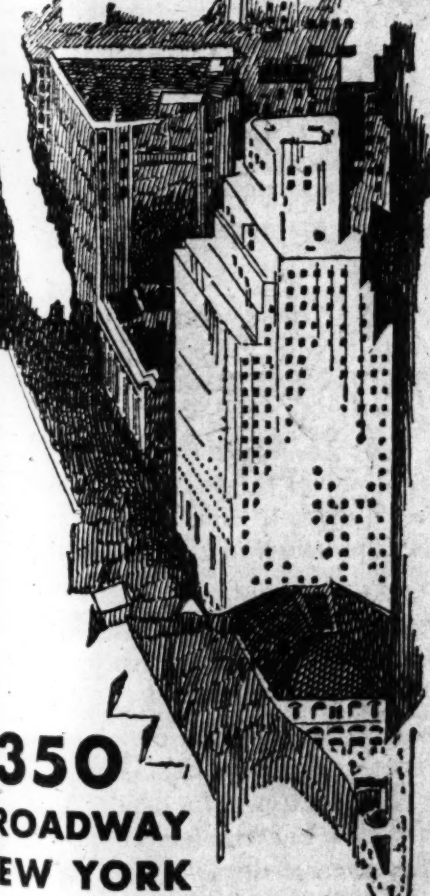
Mrs. Edward Magnus, 4 Hortense place, and her debutante daughter, Miss Lily Bush Magnus, will return today from Santa Barbara, Cal., where they have been for a visit of several weeks. They were guests at Ivy Wall, the estate of the late Mrs. Adolphus Busch, Mr. Magnus, who accompanied his family West, preceded them home.

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WILLIAM ROEBKE FUNERAL

Services at 2 P. M. Tomorrow for Former Furniture Manufacturer. Funeral services for William Roebke, former St. Louis furniture manufacturer, who died of cancer Saturday at the home of a son, Edward A. Roebke, in Scarsdale, N. Y., will be held tomorrow at 2 p. m., at the Kron Undertaking establishment, 2701 North Grand boulevard, with burial in Friedman's Cemetery. He was 63 years old.

Mr. Roebke came here from Germany 58 years ago and entered the furniture business. He was a founder of the Western Furniture Co. of which he was secretary-treasurer for more than 30 years until his retirement about 25 years ago. He had lived in Scarsdale the last three years. Besides the son with whom he made his home, he is survived by three sons living in St. Louis, Louis, William A., Ernest T. and Gustave H. Roebke.

MRS. MARY SMALL FUNERAL. Services Tomorrow to Be Held at Old Cathedral. Funeral services for Mrs. Mary A. Small, 78 years old, 124 Clark avenue, the last of the Old Cathedral parishioners of her generation to maintain a home in that neighborhood, will be held tomorrow at 8:30 a. m. at the Old Cathedral (Church of St. Louis of France), 215 Walnut street. Burial will take place in Calvary Cemetery.

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THREE PERSONS KILLED IN CRASH OF PLANE

Machine of Wallace Beery
Catches Fire When It Falls
500 Feet.

By the Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 25.—Two men and a woman were killed yesterday when Wallace Beery's cabin biplane was wrecked in a dry wash near Alhambra, Cal.

Beery was not aboard the ship. He had expected to fly in it over to Mexico City.

George Maves, 22 years old, Beery's personal pilot, his wife Cynthia Maves, and Lynn H. Hayes, 26, transport pilot and friend of Maves, were killed when the plane crashed and burst into flames after going into a tail spin at 500 feet altitude.

It struck only a short distance from Valley Boulevard, one of the main highways south from Los Angeles. Scores of motorists rushed to the scene, but were unable to aid the passengers.

Witnesses said the machine apparently developed trouble shortly after taking off from the Burbank Airport on a cruise over the San Gabriel Valley. A motor sputtered as the plane soared over Pasadena, and it appeared to be losing altitude. At approximately 500 feet the nose suddenly pointed downward and the machine dropped. It burst into flames as it struck the ground.

23-HOUR TRAINS BETWEEN ST. LOUIS AND NEW YORK

Pennsylvania Railway to Shorten
Schedules of "American" and
"Spirit of St. Louis."

Twenty-three-hour train service, twice a day, will be inaugurated between New York and St. Louis within a few weeks, by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

"The American," eastbound, will leave St. Louis at 9:05 a. m., five minutes later than at present, and will arrive in New York at 9:05 a. m., Eastern standard time, 45 minutes earlier than at present. Westbound, "The American" will leave New York at 7:05 p. m., and will arrive in St. Louis at 5:05 p. m., thus giving passengers an hour and five minutes longer to remain in New York than at present, with arrival here five minutes earlier than by the present schedule.

"The Spirit of St. Louis," noon-day eastbound train, will leave St. Louis at 12:05 p. m., five minutes later than now, and will arrive in New York at 12:05 p. m., 45 minutes earlier than by the present schedule. Westbound, the "Spirit" will leave New York at 2:30 p. m., 15 minutes later than now, and will arrive here at 12:30 p. m., 50 minutes earlier than at present. The date for inaugurating the new schedule has not been announced.

CHARGES PROSECUTOR'S AID SOUGHT \$10,000 BLACKMAIL

New York Doctor, on Trial for
Woman's Death, Says Resigned
Official Made Threats.

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 25.—Dr. Maurice A. Sturm, 49 years old, on trial before Judge Otto A. Rosenkay for manslaughter in connection with the death of Mrs. Ruth Weir of East Orange, N. J., from an illegal operation, today testified that a "Judge Hanley" of the District Court of Jersey City, had come to his home after his arrest and had demanded \$10,000 blackmail on behalf of Assistant District Attorney William D. Ryan, with threats that if the money were not forthcoming Ryan would prosecute to the limit.

Sturm's declaration was made after Assistant District Attorney James Neary had asked him if he sent Mrs. Frieda Sanger, proprietor of a convalescing home, in which Mrs. Weir was a patient, out of town while the case was pending.

"I was compelled to send Mrs. Sanger away because your Assistant District Attorney Ryan tried to blackmail me for \$10,000 in this case, and you know it is true," said Dr. Sturm.

"Mrs. Sanger came to me crying and later Ryan sent Judge Hanley of the District Court, Jersey City, to me, and he told me if I didn't come across immediately I would be prosecuted to the limit."

Ryan, who had charge of the Sturm case, resigned during its progress.

\$50,000 Jewel Theft in House.

By the Associated Press.
HAVERFORD, Pa., March 25.—The theft of jewels valued at \$50,000 from the home of Maj. David S. Barry Jr., United States Marine Corps, socially prominent here, was reported to police last night. Mrs. Barry said she discovered the theft when she opened for the first time in 24 hours a jewel case she kept in a drawer of a dresser. The case was empty, but a rope of pearls valued at \$15,000 which she had laid on top of the dresser was undisturbed.

Suggests "Ad" Campaign by Dr. Ryan.

By the Associated Press.
SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 25.—Mrs. Nellie G. Burger, president of the Missouri W. C. T. U., announced today that she would suggest to national headquarters consideration of a national advertising campaign to combat the latest enterprise of anti-prohibition forces. Mrs. Burger's inspiration came from page advertisements in newspapers attacking the prohibition law, sponsored by the humorous magazine, Life.

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- 3 Absolutely safe to use; non-poisonous, non-caustic.
- 4 Passes all tests of the Bureau of Chemistry of the United States Government, and is approved by three nationally known laboratories, and The Lancet of London, outstanding medical journal.

In the prevention and treatment of disease, medical science has made mighty strides forward in the last decade.

As a result, greater efficiency is demanded of antiseptics and germicides. Those which cannot meet these new requirements are rejected. Those which can meet them find wholesale acceptance. Listerine has successfully passed every scientific test to which it has been put. More than adequately, it has met every modern requirement.

These triumphs, preceded by fifty years of use in the hands of physician and layman alike, establish it as the antiseptic best suited to personal use—safe and healing in effect, yet with power to kill germs in the fastest time possible to measure accurately.

Listerine passes germicidal test in three great laboratories

The standard method used by the Bureau of Chemistry of the U. S. Government to test germ killing power and the penetration of an antiseptic in the presence of body fluids, is the Reddish Germicidal Method. Using this exact technique, three bacteriological laboratories of national repute in New York, Philadelphia, and Boston, have tested Listerine repeatedly.

Their records show that full strength Listerine Kills Staphylococcus Aureus (the pus germ) and Bacillus Typhosus (the typhoid germ) in counts ranging to 200,000,000 in 15 seconds.

Kills twenty times as fast as U. S. Government requires

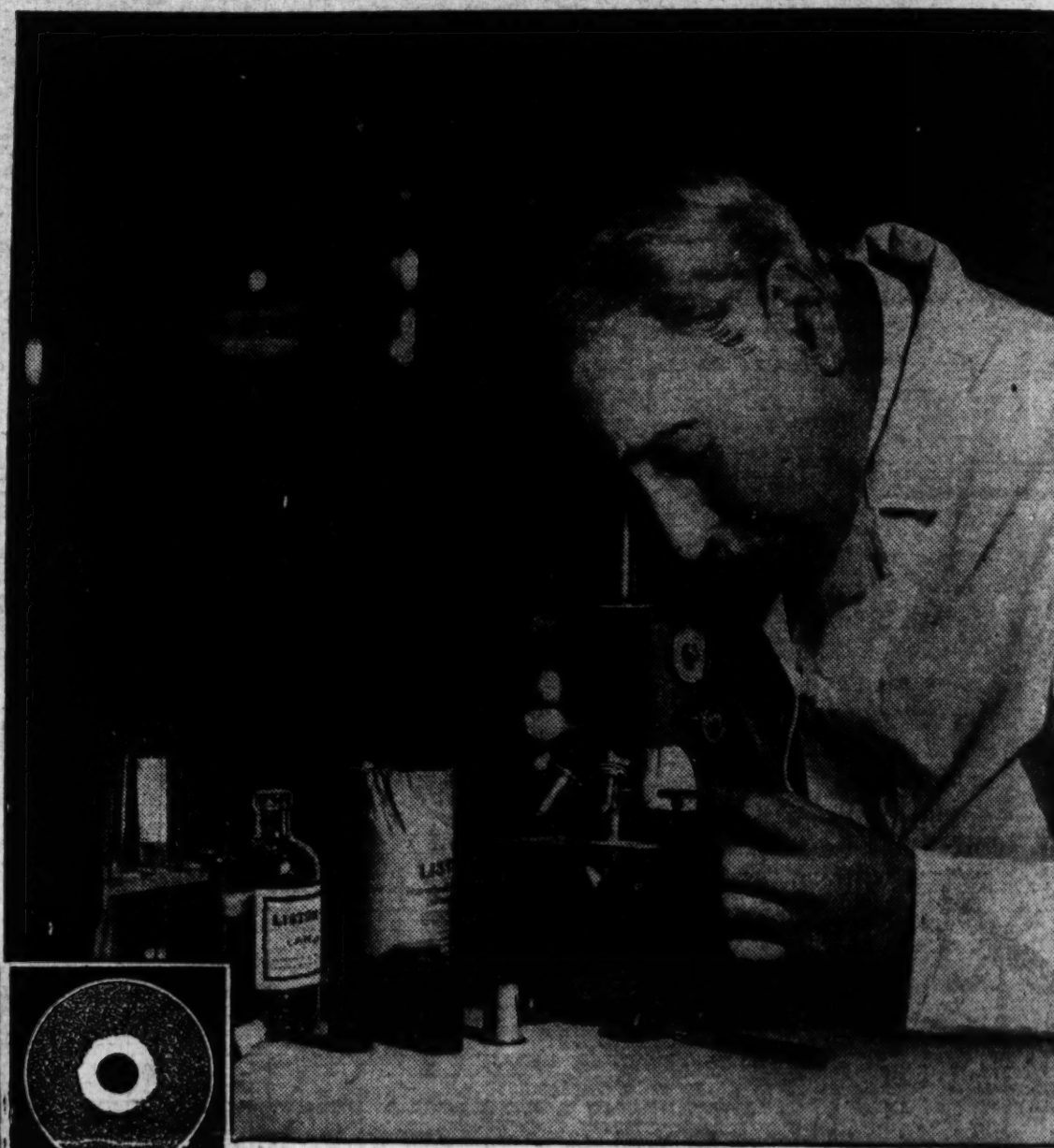
To qualify as an antiseptic or germicide, under Government standards, a preparation must kill Staphylococcus Aureus (the pus germ) within five minutes.

Note that full strength Listerine kills this germ in 15 seconds—twenty times as fast as required.

Special Note: In the measurement of killing power, 15 seconds is the quickest time science has been able to record accurately. Any claims by others of speedier killing are open to serious question.

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Listerine's penetrating power enables it to reach germs readily

To destroy germs a germicide must first be able to reach them when they lie below the surface of tissue. Obviously penetrating power is vital to the value of any solution. Listerine has this power to an amazing degree. Using the accurate Petri dish method, the three laboratories mentioned above show Listerine to actually have penetrating power equal to a 3% solution of carbolic acid.

Acclaimed by "Lancet," high medical authority

No higher endorsement can be given an antiseptic and germicide than that of The Lancet of London. This great medical journal never bestows approval on a practice or a product until it has been thoroughly tested. After conducting its own research, The Lancet unreservedly endorses Listerine as a safe antiseptic of high germicidal potency.

Listerine—non-poisonous, non-toxic, absolutely safe

Listerine may be safely used full strength in any body cavity. It is non-poisonous, non-irritating, and actually has a soothing and healing effect on tissue.

Contrast these qualities with those of harsh, metallic, or poisonous solutions which damage tissue. This factor of safety cannot be overestimated, especially if any antiseptic is to be kept in a home where there are children.

Effective against sore throat, dandruff, and halitosis because germicidal

Listerine has been found to be an excellent treatment for a great many ailments. Many of these ailments are alike in that they are caused by germs. And Listerine's success in checking them is due primarily to its germicidal power.

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Many dermatologists agree that dandruff also is a germ infection. If this be true, you can understand why Listerine is accepted as a superior treatment for dandruff. In addition to its germicidal action, Listerine has remarkable cleansing powers. Moreover, it dissolves and removes the loose particles of dandruff.

Halitosis (unpleasant breath) yields to Listerine first because Listerine is a powerful deodorant. When halitosis is caused by infections of the nose, mouth, gums, or throat, Listerine gets at the seat of the trouble by attacking the infection itself.

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order of \$1,000,000,000 to the living in the United States, actually enacted into law. The vote was 21 to 21, seven Democrats joined 16 Republicans in favor of the measure, while five Progressives voted with the Democrats against it. Missouri's Senators divided, Pat Harrison (Rep.) voting for the bill, Hawes (Dem.) voting against it.

The measure is distinguished by the fact that it contains the highest tariff ever proposed in American history, and by certain administrative provisions. Although the rates in general are lower than those adopted last year by the House under the "tag rule" of voting in the lower body, remain the highest on record, and those in the existing Ford-McCumber law, and wholly shadowing those in the Payne-Aldrich act of 1909.

The bill provides for drastic increases in the duties levied on reds of commodities, many of which are in general use. Cloth and building materials would be subjected to especially severe increases, and many foreign products virtually be excluded from the country.

the course of framing the bill, the historic principle of protecting domestic industries by levying import taxes to equalize costs of production here and abroad, virtually abandoned, and duties were erected with the admission of banishing foreign competition entirely.

the other hand, the coalition Democrats and Progressives agreed in writing into the measure three important administrative provisions that were not

included by the

the export duties assigned to make the on farm production amendment, provision of duties which monopolies; and the modification, transferring identical to Congress make periodic individual rates.

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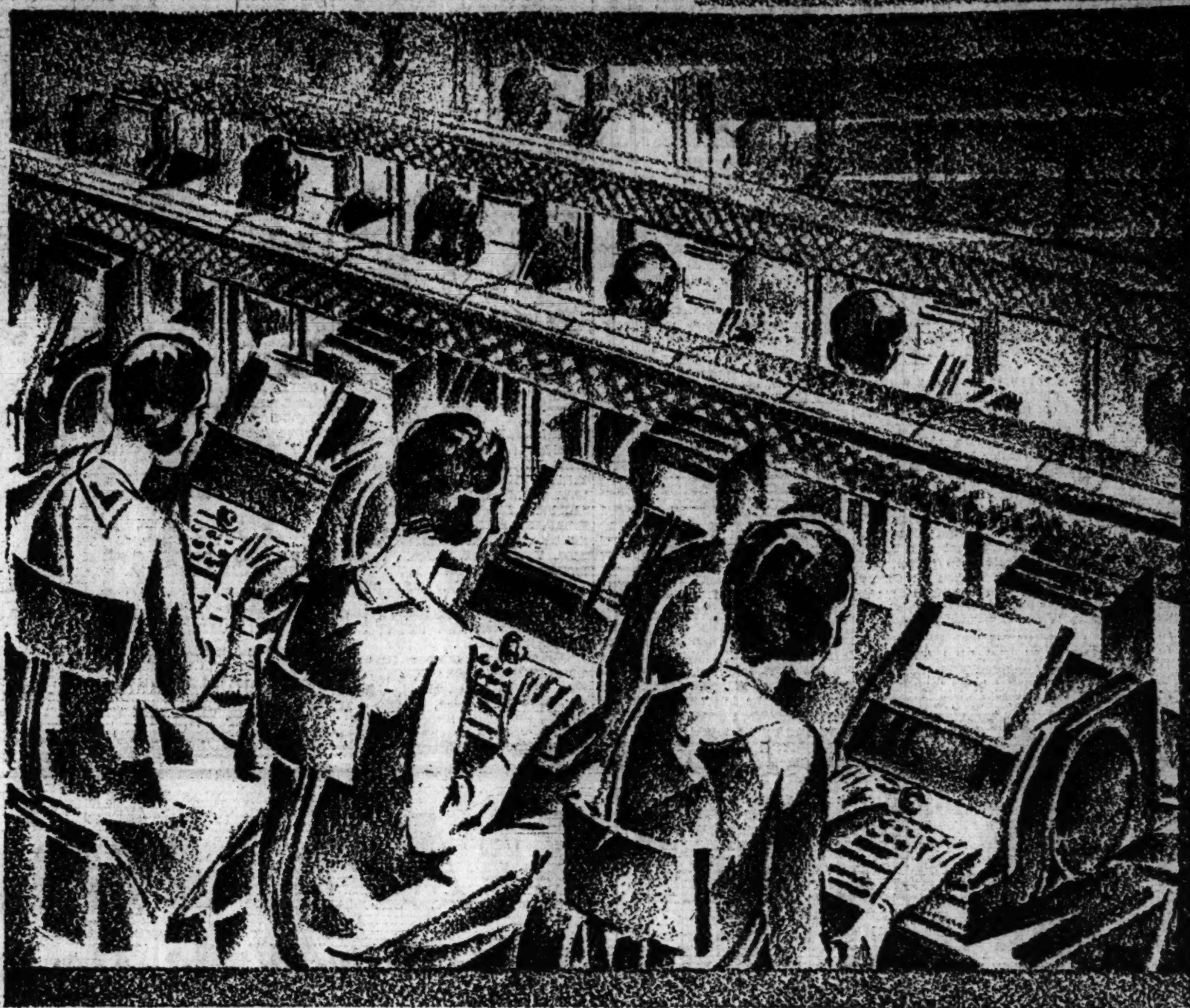
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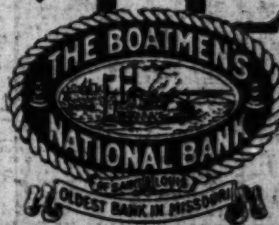
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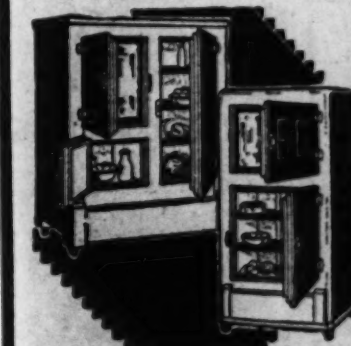
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LAKES TO GULF SURVEY
Representative Hull Introduces Resolution for Illinois Section.
The Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, March 25.—Representative Morton D. Hull of

Illinois yesterday put before the House a resolution asking for authority for a preliminary survey of Illinois waterways in preparation for the Lakes-to-Gulf waterway. The survey would supply data on which a system of connections, terminals and transfer harbors

could be planned. The Hull resolution specifies the Calumet and Little Calumet Rivers, Lake Calumet and the Calumet Sag Canal and requires submission of plans and cost estimates to Congress by Dec. 15. The work would be done by War Department engineers.

FIVE ST. LOUIS YOUTHS GET 25-YEAR TERMS

Plead Guilty at Hillsboro, Mo., to Stealing Auto; Admit Other Car Thefts.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
HILLSBORO, Mo., March 25.—Five St. Louis youths, the oldest 19, were sentenced to 25 years in the penitentiary here yesterday when they pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing an automobile. Circuit Judge Dearing imposed the maximum sentence because the youths admitted six other automobile thefts and two holdups in which they obtained \$77.

Those sentenced were Victor Jackson, 226 La Salle street; Floyd Wheat, 2120 Dolman street; Will Hopkins, 1123 St. Ange avenue; William Penny, 2544A Nebraska avenue, and Frank Byrd, 1015 Dillon street. Byrd is 17 years old, Wheat and Penny 19, and the others 18.

The youths offered no defense, saying they did not want to put their families to the trouble and expense of retaining a lawyer. One of them told the court: "We're guilty and ready to take what is coming to us."

The five admitted stealing several automobiles in St. Louis and driving them to Jefferson County, where they were abandoned. They stole other machines to return to St. Louis. They were sentenced for the theft of an automobile owned by Henry Harris of De Soto, Jackson, Penny and Hopkins were arrested at Mount Vernon, Ill., while driving a stolen car, following a chase in which police fired several shots. Wheat and Byrd, also driving a stolen automobile, were arrested later by St. Louis detectives.

Wed on License 10 Years Old.
By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, March 25.—Presenting a marriage license obtained 10 years and four days ago, John C. McDonald, 59 years old, and Alice M. T. Lewis, 60, both of

Archville, N. Y., were married yesterday in the municipal chapel. The license was obtained in Westchester County.

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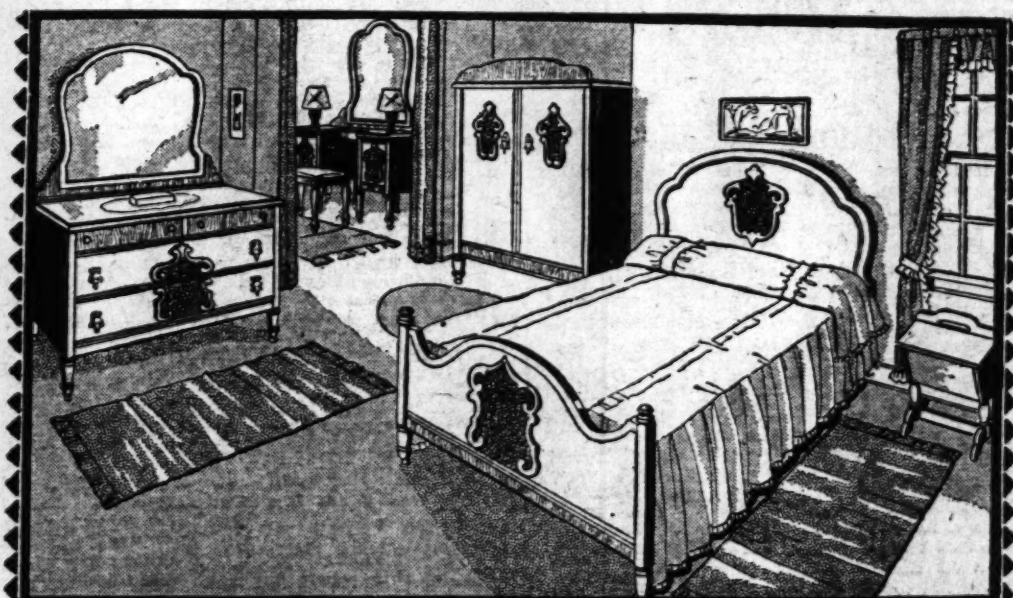
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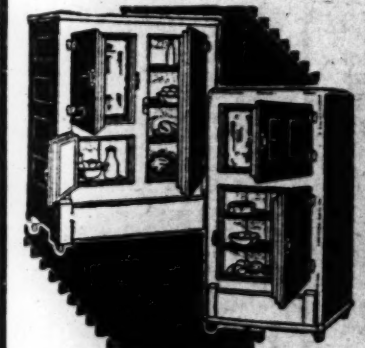
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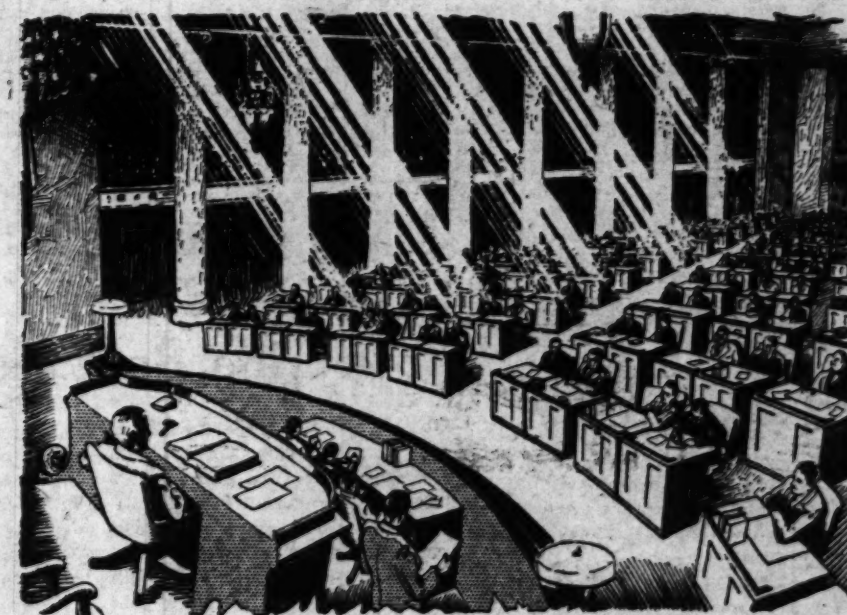
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RISKO GAINS UNPOPULAR DECISION OVER CAMPOLO IN NEW YORK BOUT

REFEREE WARNS SOUTH AMERICAN IN 7TH ROUND; 11,000 ATTEND

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Whether or not he never climbs very high on the heavyweight championship ladder, Johnny Risko still is the fight-killer on the prize ring. Nevertheless, in the main event of a benefit card at Madison Square Garden last night, the pudgy Cleveland baker-boy needed some assistance from the charitable spirit of the occasion to take a close decision from his big Argentine rival, Victor Campolo.

Risko, in a somewhat riotous finish to the job he began less than a month ago at Miami, Fla., was given an unpopular victory over Campolo after 10 bruising rounds. The Argentine, to a vast majority of experts as well as spectators, appeared to have a substantial margin on points. But the chunky Cleveland clouter gained the official verdict on a 2 to 1 ballot.

Referee Arthur Donovan decided the issue by voting for Risko. The two judges were split, Charles F. Mathison voting for Campolo and George Patrick for Risko.

11,000 Boo Decision. A crowd of 11,000 booed the verdict, even though it appeared a matter of poetic justice in behalf of Risko. At Miami, Johnny got only a draw, after appearing to have pulled up a big lead on points. Last night Campolo manifested improvement, took the lead at the outset and seemed to have held a comfortable margin in spite of repeated warnings from the referee for illegal backhand chops or rabbit punches in the region of Risko's ear and neck. A roadside consensus showed Campolo credited with five rounds. Risko with three and two rated as even.

Newspaper men were divided in opinion as to whether the Miami or the New York decision in the Risko-Campolo feud was the worst, but they agreed that both were bad. The Miami verdict also was handed down by a New York arbitrator, Referee Kid McPartland.

Referee Donovan indicated he was strongly swayed in his decision by the tactics of Campolo. The gawky Gumbo of the Argentine, despite his lumbering, flat-footed stance, was much more aggressive than in Miami, but at close range he persisted in battering Risko behind the ear with hammer-like blows. Johnny did not appear to object, nor was he much harmed thereby. But Donovan became so critical of the South American's methods as the crowd booed, that he finally threatened to disqualify Victor in the seventh round. Thereafter, Campolo let his right hand hang limp and tamed at his side as he met Risko's bull-like rushes.

In spite of his disagreement with the referee, Campolo seemed to have the situation pretty well in hand. Except for the fourth, seventh and ninth, the Argentine either held his own or battered Johnny with vicious right-handed blows to the head. In the third and fifth Campolo staggered Risko with powerful right-handers. Johnny kept his feet, however, under the heaviest of barrages, although in the very first round he just missed bouncing on the floor from a right to the head. Risko was everlastingly game and aggressive. Despite the tremendous advantage he gave away in height, reach and weight—scaling 150 to Campolo's 225½.

Risko's victory, for the time being at least, spoiled well-laid plans to groom Campolo for a battle of behemoths with Primo Carnora. Johnny has done more to upset the already much upset heavyweight situation than any half dozen fighters combined.

MICKEY WALKER IS LIGHT HEAVY KING—IN JACK KEARNS' EYES

By Associated Press.

FLINT, Mich., March 25.—As far as Jack Kearns is concerned, Mickey Walker is light-heavyweight champion of the world, as well as middleweight champion. Kearns, who is Walker's manager, said so last night while his protegee was administering a technical knockout to Charlie Arthur of Newark, N. J., here.

KID CHOCOLATE OUT INDEFINITELY WITH CASE OF INFLUENZA

NEW YORK, March 25.—Kid Chocolate, crack Cuban Negro featherweight, has suffered an attack of influenza and now is a patient at the Park View Hospital. The Cuban, Dr. Hudson J. Oliver, his physician, reported, had a temperature of 102 when he fought and knocked out Al Ridgeway at Madison Square Garden last Friday night.

EXHIBITION GAMES

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Yesterday's Results.

At San Antonio—New York (N.)

3, San Antonio (T. L.) 1.

At Oakland, Cal.—Pittsburg (N.)

6, Oakland (P. C. L.) 4.

Today's Schedule.

At St. Petersburg, Fla.—New

York (A.) vs. Boston (N.).

At Oakland, Cal.—Pittsburg (N.)

vs. Oakland (P. C. L.).

At Tampa, Fla.—Detroit (A.) vs.

Tampa (S. E. L.).

At Los Angeles—Chicago (N.)

vs. Los Angeles (P. C. L.).

At West Palm Beach, Fla.—St.

Louis (A.) vs. House of David.

At Bradenton, Fla.—St. Louis

(N.) vs. Indianapolis (A. A.).

WORK BOUT

YANKEES SELL HEIMACH TO THE TOLEDO CLUB

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., March 22.—The New York Yankees today announced the sale of Fred Heimach, southpaw, to the Toledo club of the American Association.

The pitcher came up to the Yankees two years ago from St. Paul after a previous big time trial with the Athletics and Red Sox.

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ADDITIONAL SPORT NEWS

CLEVELAND AND BEAUMONT OPEN TRACK SEASON

Weather permitting, the City High School track season will get under way this week, when Beaumont and Cleveland meet Thursday afternoon on the Beaumont track.

Beaumont's squad will be built around Arthur Gerst, dash man, and Charles Stinebaugh, hurdler, the only returning letter men in the major class. Last year's juniors will compete in the major division are Oliver Duggins, high and road jumper; Francis Kaye, middle distance; Paul Cosgrove, hurdles; Otto Schwandt, relay; Bob Dahitz, dashes; Campbell Elliott, mile; Tom Wright, pole vault; Charles Morelli, broad jump; Edward Grey, dashes; Bill Elch, high jump, and Eddie Langanke, shot.

Langanke will be remembered as Beaumont's starting midjet star two years ago, who was ineligible last season.

The returning juniors are: Phil Hunter and Walter Holke, hurdlers; Ray Toberman, shot put, and Charles Hobbs, dashes. The midjet additions to this class are: Carl Johnson and Suedemeyer, dashes.

Six Bouts on Barracks' Card

The first round of boxing contests in the Sixth Corps Area Athletic Meet, at Jefferson Barracks, will be held tonight. Six bouts are scheduled.

The edge was taken off the meet for the Jefferson Barracks athletes in the opening night of the meet, last night, when the Barracks basketball team, defending champions, lost in an upset to the Fort Wayne (Mich.) squad, 48 to 31. Chanut Field won from the Scott Field quintet, 27 to 26, and Selfridge Field defeated Fort Sheridan, 40 to 20, in other games.

Carl Burroughs, shot put, and Moore, broad jump.

The Beaumont schedule follows:

March 27—Cleveland Seniors and Juniors at Beaumont.

April 24—Central Seniors and Juniors at Beaumont.

April 10—Kirkwood and St. Charles Seniors and Juniors at Beaumont.

April 17—Roosevelt Seniors and Juniors at Beaumont.

April 22—Soldan Midjet vs. Beaumont Midjets at the Stadium.

April 24—Soldan Seniors and Juniors at Beaumont.

April 30—Roosevelt Midjets at Beaumont.

May 3—State track meet at Columbia Mo.

May 7—St. Louis U. High Midjets at Beaumont.

May 17—District meet at the Stadium.

May 22—Preliminaries, City High School track and field meet.

May 23—City High School Field day at the Stadium.

ECKERSALL DIES AFTER ILLNESS OF 3 MONTHS

By the Associated Press.

CHICAGO, March 22.—American amateur sport mourned today the death of one of its greatest figures, Walter Herbert Eckersall.

The heart which powered his 145-pound body through four years of football on Ames Alonzo Staggs' 1923-4-5-6 University of Chicago teams, yesterday gave up a several months' struggle against illness and madness caused by the death of his mother last fall while he was serving as an official in the Army-Notre Dame football game in New York.

Within a few hours after his death in his rooms at the Chicago Athletic Association, telegrams expressing sorrow and paying tribute to his ability as an athlete, and his fairness as an official and sports writer, began to arrive at the Chicago Tribune, where, for more than 20 years, he had been boxing and football expert.

Every telegram recalled some instance of his fame as a football player back in the days when it was "three downs for five yards," and the forward pass had yet to become a feature of the game.

Fielding H. Yost of the University of Michigan remembered "Eckersall's" play which caused the Wolverines first defeat in five years, during the 1925 season, and George Huff recalled his great performances against Illinois.

Kipke Praises Eckersall.

Harry Kipke, Michigan's young head football coach, who played in games in which Eckersall officiated, characterized him the best official in the country, and the coaching staff of the University of Wisconsin, sent its deepest sympathy upon learning of the death of an official it once barred from its field, but later cordially invited to return to work some of its games.

While his fame as a field general, kicker and runner, outshone his other achievements as a college athlete, Eckersall made enviable records in track, baseball and skating. He was a member of Cap Anson's colts, playing third base and shortstop, and several times equalled nine and four-fifths seconds in the 100-yard dash.

As a football official he ruthlessly inflicted penalties for flagrant fouls, but was slow to declare penalties on technicalities without warning.

His last active work was handling the Golden Gloves amateur boxing tournament last week, a task done while he was ill enough to have remained in bed. It was not until three days ago that he would admit he was not feeling "tipped," and could not leave his bed.

Eckersall is survived by a daughter, Elizabeth, 19 years old; two sisters, Miss Edna Eckersall and Mrs. Stephen Anderson of Chicago, and two brothers, Arthur of Denver and Elmer of Gary, Ind.

The funeral will be held Thursday morning at Holy Cross Church.

Bowling Notes

Freddy Krems of the Justin T. Flint team of the Major City and Peterson Scratch leagues, will meet Frank Mataya of Held's Recreation parlor in the first block of a 20-game home-and-home match next Sunday night at 8 o'clock at Held's alleys. The date of the second block will be announced later.

The Schaper Products team, champions of the St. Louis Fruit and Produce League, will meet the champions of Kansas City in a five-game match at Kansas City Saturday night. There will also be a five-game series between the sponsors of the teams. The local bowlers making the trip are: H. Volmer, W. Eech, A. Knittel, E. Orentrop, J. Egli, Louis Cicardi, Harry Hartman, Bill Barry, Ben Butler and Charles Schaper.

The Moss Ties, Peterson Scratch League leaders, were defeated in last week's round of play by the Helbrungs, two games to one. The victory enabled the Helbrungs to move into fourth place. Hahn 628, Reeles 626 and Kennedy 617 were high for the winners, while Holmes 639 and Neldringhaus 608 were best for the Moss team. The winners took two from the Petersons; the Schmitts won two from the Flints, and the Sunshines won three from the Arnesons in the other league matches. The team leaders were: Sherwood 635, Arneson 658, Joerges 603, Cohen 600, Whitehead 628, Deen 642, Mulconery 603 and Krems 618.

The Western Electric, with a score of 2295, won the handicap bowling tourney held by the Y. M. C. A. Industrial League. The Medarts were second and McQuays third. Schaub of the M. K. T. Valuations scored high single with 250, and F. Kaelin won high three, with 624. Teams representing industries holding membership in the Industrial Athletic Association participated in the tourney.

The American Brakes have practically won the championship in the Y. M. C. A. Industrial League, needing but three victories in nine games to win the title. The McQuays are second. Eberhardt is leading the league with an average of 186. Schirr has high three with 671 and Howdon high single with 273. The team event records are held by the American Brakes and McQuays.

MADISON PREPARING TO COMPETE IN THREE SPORTS THIS SPRING

Madison High School athletes are preparing for their debut into the Southwestern Illinois Conference, which will take place within the next two weeks. Forty boys are working out under the tutelage of Coaches Robe, Landes and Tibbings. Madison will compete in baseball, track and tennis this year, and with the exception of the second named, the outlook is bright. Track will be an experiment. This year is the first that track has ever been entered as a major sport. Landes has 15 men with which to work, and out of this number only two have shown promise of developing into future stars of the cinder path. Andrews and Lee are the two youths. They both excel in the broad jump.

Baseball is entering its third year in Madison High School, and the outlook for a championship nine is better than fair. Six letter men form the nucleus about which Coach Robe hopes to build a pennant-winning nine. The three open positions are first and second base and the pitching job. The hurling berth will probably remain in doubt for the next few weeks. Robe's star moundman last year, Kalf, a freshman, failed to return to school this year, and consequently Robe will have to work with inexperienced material on the firing line.

The same four that finished second in the Cahokia Conference tennis race last year will again compete under the Green and

White colors in the Southwestern Conference. In spite of the sharp competition they are to meet, the Madison athletes are confident that they will be among the leaders at the close of the season. The quartet of tennis players are: K. Kudebaker, T. Kudebaker, D. Connel and R. Ufferra.

CHICAGO BASKET FIVE TO MEET HYDE PARK HERE SATURDAY NIGHT

A return game will be played between the Irving Park team, Sunday school champions of Chicago, and the Hyde Park quintet, local Sunday school champions, Saturday night at the Downtown T. M. C. A. In a game between the two teams last Saturday night at Chicago, the St. Louis team lost, 6-4.

TWO MORE SPECIALS FOR S. B. A. C. CARD

Two inter-city attractions were added to the program for Thursday night's amateur boxing tourney at the South Broadway Arena when Matchmaker, Willie Miller, announced today that he has paired Eddie Miller of the Business Men's A. C. with Charley Schuber of the South Broadway club for a mid-weight special, and that Steve Konechick, a champion of Miller, will meet Joe Stansone of the Olympian A. C. in a lightweight engagement.

George West, a District featherweight champion of 1923, meets Tim McElmerritt of the Olympian club, while Merv Thompson, Tower A. C. flyweight star, engages Billy Williams of the Olympian team, in other star bouts of Thursday night's bill.



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W. G. Kaufman, Who Set Fires for "Thrill," Escaped From Sanitarium, May 9, 1929.

William G. Kaufman, a pyromaniac, who escaped from City Sanitarium May 9 last, was arrested at Eighth and Montgomery streets last night by detectives headed by Detective Sergeant Morrison.

He is being held at Angelica Street Station while police are determining whether arrangements can be made for his commitment to the sanitarium.

Sentenced to five years in the penitentiary in connection with a series of fires early in 1926, Kaufman obtained a new trial and was found insane and an Aug. 23 of that year was placed in the sanitarium.

Kaufman confessed firing places for the thrill he received from seeing the flames and the fire apparatus. He was arrested in April, 1929, after damages estimated at \$125,300 had been caused by fires in three furniture and hardware companies.

In 1924, following several big lumber yard fires, Kaufman was arrested and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary on his conviction for arson on Feb. 4 of that year. He served 12 months.

CHARGES WIFE RUINED HIS GROCERY BUSINESS

Harry Beckerle Alleges She Helped Himself to Cash, Taking as High as \$50 a Week.

A charge that his wife, Mrs. Nettie Beckerle, now an attorney, ruined his grocery business in 1921 by helping herself to the contents of the cash register, is contained in the deposition of Harry Beckerle, filed today in Judge Fitzsimon's Court of Domestic Relations. Trial of Mrs. Beckerle's suit for divorce is set for next Monday. She alleges general indignities.

Mrs. Beckerle obtained a divorce in 1923, but the case was reopened on Beckerle's claim that he had not had time to prepare an answer. They were married in 1926.

Beckerle charges that his wife's "takeout" sometimes amounted to as high as \$50 a week. He is now a Kroger store employee and lives at 3446 De Tonty street. Mrs. Beckerle, a member of the firm of Simpson & Beckerle, lives at 4302 De Tonty. Recently, she presided in Police Judge Beck's court during his absence.

After the store failure, Mrs. Beckerle decided to take a law course, being admitted to the bar in 1925. In taking this step, Beckerle testified, his wife was "the boss."

SAYS DENTIST WANTED 'GIRL WITH GAYER DISPOSITION'

Mrs. Edna W. Smith's Divorce Petition Taken Under Advice—ment by Court.

The divorce petition of Mrs. Edna W. Smith, 5354 Nottingham avenue, who testified her husband, Dr. Grover C. Smith, a dentist, with offices at 3155 South Grand boulevard, told her he wanted "a girl with a gayer disposition," was taken under advisement today by Circuit Judge Fitzsimmons. It was said a properly settlement had been agreed to by Dr. Smith and his wife, under which she will relinquish all property claims in return for \$5000 and the Smith household furnishings.

Mrs. Smith testified her husband was a policeman when she married him Sept. 2, 1908, and became a dentist six years later. Suit for divorce originally was filed by Dr. Smith, but was dismissed today and the trial proceeded on Mrs. Smith's crossbill. Dr. Smith did not contest.

BRITISH TEXTILE WORKERS REJECT REDUCTION IN PAY

Vote Against Proposal Despite the Advice of Union Leaders.

LONDON, March 25.—After a dispute of two years, British woolen and textile industries, operatives have refused by a three-to-one vote to accept wage reduction proposals, based on findings of Lord Macmillan's investigation. Lord Macmillan recommended that the most recent wage increase be reduced from 10 to 5 per cent and urged reduction of the cost of living allowance, although he advised that the basis of the present wage structure be left intact.

The National Union of Textile Workers, the largest society in the trade, advised its members to accept the employers' offer, saying: "The present is not an opportune time to resist these proposals." The union executive took the view that labor was anxious to have favorable awards carried out and should be willing to adopt a sportsman-like attitude when the decision was against it. The present vote of the workers is said to embarrass the leaders.

St. Louisan to Edit the Savitar. Special to the Post-Dispatch. COLUMBIA, Mo., March 25.—J. Albert McCollum of St. Louis was elected editor-in-chief of the University of Missouri year book, the Savitar, by the student council last night. Jack Pollett of Kansas City was named business manager. The two associate editors chosen are Vernon C. Mayers and Ben Sanford Freeman, both of St. Louis. Albert Clifton Hall of Longmont, Colo., was elected editor-in-chief of the Missouri Student, official campus weekly.

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Judge Parker's Chief Decisions On the U. S. Appellate Bench

Supreme Court Appointee Is Prohibitionist but in Opinion Denied Right of Search Without Warrant.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
CHARLOTTE, N. C., March 25.—Judge John Johnston Parker, President Hoover's selection to succeed the late Judge Sanford in the United States Supreme Court, is known in his home State of North Carolina as a man who has held and expressed positive opinions in public matters, without becoming involved in serious controversy.

A Democrat in his early years, he became a Republican, and was the Republican nominee for Governor, then national committeeman, before President Coolidge appointed him to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Fourth Circuit.

A supporter of prohibition, he has still ever been particularly identified in the public mind with the dry movement. As to other questions, it is much the same—his attitude is known, but he has aroused no enemies.

On the appellate bench, Judge Parker has written or concurred in several important decisions. In one of these, Henderson vs. U. S., 12 Fed. (52) 528, the court denied the right of search without warrant, in the following language: "The rights guaranteed by the Fourth amendment are not to be thus encroached upon or gradually depreciated by imperceptible practices of courts, or by well-intentioned but mistakenly over-zealous executive officers."

In another case, Great American Insurance Co. vs. Johnson, 25 Fed. (24) 850, the court refused to set aside the judgment of the court below merely because an equity case was tried as an action at law, declaring that "Courts exist to do justice, not to furnish a forum for intellectual skill and prowess."

Lake Cargo Coal Case.
One of the most important decisions written by Judge Parker was in the so-called lake cargo coal-rate case, reported as Anchor Coal Co. et al. vs. U. S., 25 Fed. (24) 4623, involving an interpretation of the Hoch-Smith resolution, which requires agricultural conditions to be considered in fixing rates.

Judge Parker's court granted an injunction, on the ground that the Interstate Commerce Commission had exceeded its powers in forbidding a voluntary reduction of rates. Even though they would admittedly yield a fair return, on the ground that economic conditions in a competing area would not justify reduction.

The appeal was dismissed in the Supreme Court because the carriers had in the meantime entered into an agreement with the approval of the commission. The Harvard Law Review approved the decision.

Intrastate Shipment Rating.
In the case of Atlantic Coast Line vs. Standard Oil Co., 12 Fed. (24) 541, Judge Parker's court, the Fourth Circuit, held that oil shipped by tanker to a port and reshipped by rail within the state in which the port is located constituted intrastate shipments, instead of interstate shipments. The Sixth Circuit Court, passing on an identical question, took the contrary view, but the Fourth Circuit decision was affirmed by the Supreme Court of the United States, and that of the Sixth District reversed.

A recent decision by Judge Parker, Federal Reserve Bank vs. Early, 30 Fed. (24) 1923, dealing with the check collection system, was approved by the Supreme Court this month in an opinion written by Justice Holmes.

Other important decisions of the Fourth Circuit upheld the constitutionality of the North Carolina

H. D. MOORE, FINANCIER, DIES
He, With James B. Duke, Organized U. S. Snuff Trust.

HADDONFIELD, N. J., March 25.—Henry D. Moore, financier, tobacco magnate and banker, died here last night. He was 87. He at one time headed the greatest snuff trust in the country. He affiliated with the late James B. Duke in the formation of the American Snuff Co., which was dissolved in 1911 under the Sherman anti-trust law.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1930
Greece, Free 100 Years, Celebrated.
By the Associated Press.
ATHENS, March 25.—Celebration of the first centenary of Greek independence began here today. Streets and public buildings were decorated in the national colors and a Te Deum was celebrated in the Cathedral, attended by the President of the Republic, Ministers and representatives of foreign states, including the Turkish Minister. President Zaimos received a congratulatory cablegram from President Hoover. The newspaper Manager publishes an article on the American city of Ypsilanti, Mich., named for a family of Greek patriots who helped to bring about the freedom from Turkey.



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In multitudes of households White Banner Malt is the permanent favorite. Such firmly established and ever-increasing popularity is proof that White Banner long ago set the standard of quality. Always packed full three pounds.

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7	Calum & Hecia 4	7	29%	28%
7	Camp Wyant 2	110	30	28
45	Canada Dry G Ale 6	34	74%	75%
180	Cannon Pils 10	9	208%	207
102	Cannon Mills 2.80	5	81%	81%
102	Capital Adm pf A 3	2	28%	25%
29	Capital Adm 1	1	40	40
904	Case Cl & O stp 5	x30	160	100
120	Case J I 6	29	279%	274%
111	Case J I prd 7	30	125	135
104	Caterpillar Tr 3 1/2 B	26	74%	73%
104	Cavanagh Dobbs	2	10	10

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Daily Average Put at 43,001 Barrels Under Previous

LOCAL STOCK PRICES MIXED IN LIGHT TRADE

Curtis Manufacturing and Scullin Steel Preference
Record Gains—Wagner Electric Shade Lower.

ST. LOUIS STOCK EXCHANGE.
March 25.—Prices were mixed in trading today on the local market. Curtis Manufacturing, Scullin Steel preference and Missouri Portland cement, all did also. St. Louis Steel, Buer & Fuller and Northwestern Bell preferred, Lacoste-Christy sold down 3 points and Moloney Electric declined after unchanged start.

Wagner Electric closed a shade lower. Mercantile Commerce was down and Hussman-Ligonier sold at 12.

International Shoe closed unchanged, and Elv-Walker 1/2 higher. Coca-Cola Bottling was down a fraction.

Local Business and Financial Items

(Paragraphs for publication in this column should be addressed to the Financial Editor.)

Hillman Taylor, president of the Missouri State Life Insurance Co., and Arthur G. Drets, secretary, treasurer of McQuay-Norris Mfg. Co., have been elected directors of the American Credit Identity Co.

An additional 2000 shares of Klapp Monarch 7 1/2 per cent stock have been listed on the St. Louis Stock Exchange.

Homer H. Potter has become associated with the Mercantile-Commerce Co.

BONDS IRREGULAR BUT TONE STEADY

NEW YORK, March 25.—Bonds fluctuated irregularly in today's market, but the general tone of the list was steady. High grade rails were mixed while United States Government issues eased a shade.

The market was listless until early afternoon when the volume of trading increased on a reduction in the call loan rate to 3 1/2 per cent from 4. Time funds were unchanged.

Firmness of Atchafalpa General 4s, Northern Pacific prior 4 1/2s, Washish 5s and Investment Carriers was offset by declines averaging more than half a point in Pere Marquette 4 1/2s, St. Louis, San Francisco 4 1/2s and prior 4 1/2s, Virginia 5s, Baltimore & Ohio convertible 4 1/2s, Southern Railway General 4s, Erie 5s and Missouri Pacific General 4s.

American Telephone convertible 4 1/2s provided the feature of the stock privilege division, touching 14 1/2, the highest since the stock market break. The bonds traded actively.

Among the speculative industrial, outstanding strength was displayed by Marion Steam Shovel 6s up 6 points. Botany Mills 6 1/2s rose 2.

Plans for new railroad financing are going forward rapidly. The Virginia Railway, which is holding in its treasury a recently approved issue of 10s, has asked authority to sell instead \$3,000,000 in 4 1/2s which are to be offered at 94 1/2. The same offering price has been placed on a \$12,000,000 issue of Nickel Plate 4 1/2s, subject to Interstate Commerce Commission approval.

RAILROAD EARNINGS

NEW YORK, March 25.—The first group of railroad earnings made public today showed that the industry generally showed a decline in earnings for the corresponding month of last year. Included among the railroads reporting and the figures for last month as compared to February a year ago were:

Norfolk & Western, \$2,880,000 vs. \$2,088,731.

New York, New Haven & Hartford, \$1,000,000 vs. \$1,000,000.

Virginian Railway, \$433,333 vs. \$433,333.

Washington, Baltimore & Annapolis, \$100,000 vs. \$100,000.

Union Pacific, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Rock Island, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

St. Louis & San Francisco, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Missouri Pacific, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Illinois Central, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Chicago & North Western, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Great Northern, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Montana, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Idaho, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Washington, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Oregon, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

California, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

Arizona, \$1,387,150 vs. \$1,387,150.

NEW YORK STOCKS

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NEW YORK BOND MARKET

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Total sales amounted to \$14,926,000, compared with \$14,668,000 last week and \$15,458,000 last year. Total sales from Jan. 1 to date were \$745,437,000, compared with \$745,000,000 a year ago and \$798,702,000 two years ago.

Quotations on Liberty Bonds and twenty-four thirty-second of a dollar and not \$29.24.

Following is a complete list of bonds traded in on the New York Stock Exchange today, giving sales, high, low and closing prices:

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What is as good as gold?

You sometimes hear that some other loaf is "as good as Bond Bread." When people want to speak in the highest terms of anything, they say that "it is as good as gold." Of course, it is not as good as gold unless it is gold, and no bread can be as good as Bond Bread unless it is Bond Bread.

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ALL 3 PIECES \$74

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HUGHES BUYS 14-ROOM HOME IN WASHINGTON

Prepares to Take Up Social Duties as Chief Justice of United States.

By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, March 25.—In a big four-story stone mansion Mrs. Charles Evans Hughes will soon be at home to her friends in her official capacity as wife of the Chief Justice of the United States. Hughes has purchased a home on Sheridan circle in one of the most fashionable sections of Washington.

Miss Helen Cannon, daughter of the late "Uncle Joe" Cannon, once Speaker of the House, lived in the home until recently. It was purchased from J. A. L. Van den Bosch of Holland who has been spending the winter in Washington. Remnants of the former owner are Dutch paintings which cover the entire walls of one large room. The house has 14 rooms and is well suited for entertaining purposes. It is next to the home of Charles Francis Adams, Secretary of the Navy.

To these two imposing homes much of Washington's most exclusive society will come. While Mrs. Hughes is quiet in her tastes she has never shirked public social duties.

But she is a "home woman." For years while Hughes was in official life she drove her electric coupe to market daily in Washington, to select the fruits and vegetables for the evening dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes had four children. Helen, a Vassar graduate, died. Katherine is now Mrs. Chauncey Waddell of New York. Elizabeth is in her late teens. Charles Evans Hughes Jr. recently resigned as Solicitor General but still maintains his home in Washington.

40-FOOT SHAFT BEING SUNK FOR MIDDLE STREET SEWER

Contractor Will Blast Tunnel in Bedrock Under O'Fallon Street; Cost \$380,000.

Construction of the \$380,000 Biddle street relief sewer, which will run for about a mile under O'Fallon street, between the river and High street, has begun. The first work is to sink a shaft at Seventh and O'Fallon streets. The superstructure is at the southeast corner on the sidewalk. From it the shaft has gone down 20 feet, with 10 feet to go to reach bedrock.

In bedrock the contractor, the Frazier-Davis Construction Co., will blast an 11-foot tunnel east and west from the shaft, which is about midway in the line. The shaft will be used to haul away rock and to lower materials. Eventually it will form one of the spillways or intakes to the sewer. Smaller shafts will be sunk for intakes at Ninth street and at High street. The eastern 150 feet of the sewer will not be tunnel work but will be built by cutting through the river bank.

The project, to be paid for with bond money, will relieve the old Biddle street sewer and care for building developments around the terminal of the Illinois Terminal System is to erect at High street and Lucas avenue, Chief Engineer Horner of the city said that tunneling in deep rock has proven an unusually satisfactory means of providing storm sewers, without excessive expense and without disturbing the underground lines of the various public utilities, interfering with vehicular traffic or endangering adjacent buildings. The city now has about 10 miles of such sewer tunnels. Trolley traffic has been stopped on O'Fallon street as a precaution.

CHINESE REDS FIRE ON AMERICAN RIVER STEAMER

Naval Guard on Board Return Barrage; One Wounded in Arm.

By the Associated Press. SHANGHAI, March 25.—The American Yangtze Rapids steamer the Ifung was fired on late yesterday by Communist waving red flags, 200 miles above Hankow. The steamer was subjected to a sharp rifle barrage, which was returned by the American naval guard aboard the vessel. F. C. Roberts, member of the American guard, was wounded in the left arm.

CAFE OWNER KILLED IN HOLDUP

By the Associated Press. NEWARK, N. J., March 25.—Resisting two men in the holdup of his cafe in the basement of the Lincoln Park Hotel, early today, William Curry, 48 years old, was shot to death. The robbers escaped with \$25 they scooped from the cash register and \$5 which they took from Curry's son, Joseph, 24 years old, an eye-witness to the murder.

Awarded \$25,000 for Injury.

By the Associated Press. CHICAGO, March 25.—James Fraser, auditor of the American National Jockey Club, won \$25,000 damages in Superior Court yesterday for injuries which he suffered in 1928 when he was struck by a piece of steel that fell from a truck. The R. E. Stewart Cartage Co. was defendant.

Home of Watchman Robbed. Burglars who broke into the Wood River home of Gottlieb Stahlhut, former Chief of Police there, last night, stole \$350 in currency and watches and jewelry valued at \$200. The burglary occurred while Stahlhut was at work at the Mounts Club, gambling establishment near Collinsville, where he is employed as a watchman.

Divorced Halliburton Pales Jr. By the Associated Press. RENO, Nev., March 25.—Mrs. Ellen Dexter Pales, socially prominent in New York, obtained a divorce yesterday from Halliburton Pales Jr., to whom she was married at Newburyport, Mass., Oct. 10, 1910. She testified her husband neglected her, even taking his vacations alone, and criticized her management of the house and their three children, whose custody was given the mother. By a property settlement effected out of court, Pales will pay her \$1500 a month for support of the children and a substantial amount for herself.

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Fine quality Table of high-lighted burl walnut. Has deep drawer with oak bottom, shelf beneath. Brass drawer handles.

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Imported FOOTSTOOLS

Solid walnut, hand carved frames. Special \$2.49

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Guaranteed Refrigerators, as low as.....\$5.00
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Bed, Spring and Mattress.....\$9.98
8-Pc. Bedroom Suite.....\$29.50
8-Pc. Walnut Dining Suite.....\$59.00
3-Pc. Bed Davenport Suite.....\$59.75

\$1 Down Delivers Any Article

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206 N. 12th St.
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6106-06-10 Barnter
1063-55-57 Hedament

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Davenport and Your Choice of \$119.75
Either Lounge or Club Chair.....

A simply designed Suite, yet luxurious in its upholstery and comfortableness. The cushions are reversible with tapestry and the davenport opens into a full-size bed. Davenport and choice of either chair at this low price.

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4-Pc. Matched Walnut Bedroom Suite

All large pieces, full-size bed, dresser and Hollywood vanity have Venetian beveled mirrors, chest has seven drawers. Marquetry inlay and carving form the trimming. The four pieces.....

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Just Arrived! The New AXMINSTER RUGS

In gorgeous patterns and rich colors. All heavy weaves and deep naps. 9x12 sizes.....\$34.50

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SALE OF REFRIGERATORS

Ice Chest

Golden oak exterior, double walls, insulated.....\$8.98

3-Door Side-Ice

Golden oak exterior; holds 50 pounds of ice, white enamel lining.....\$19.75

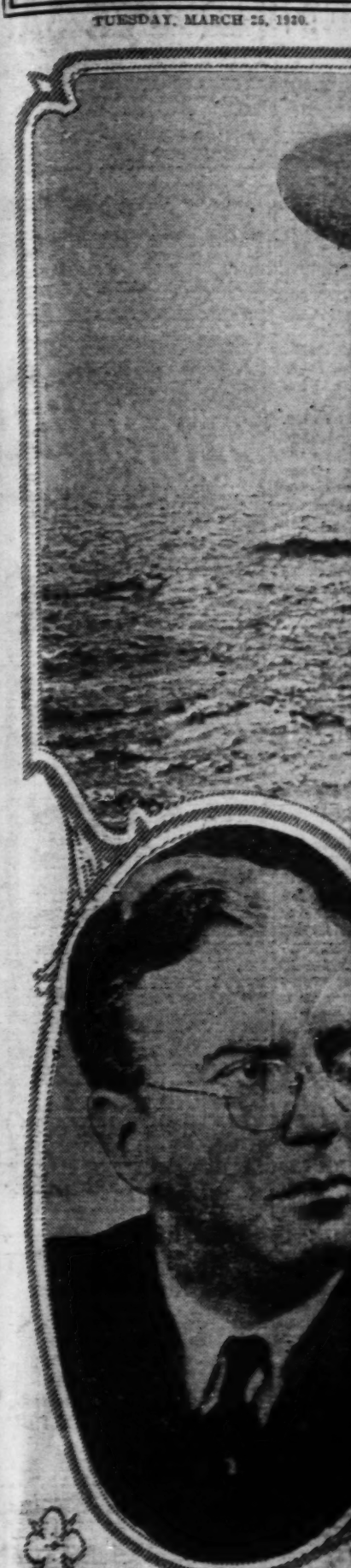
Porcelain Lined

3-door side-ice model with removable wire shelves, 50-pound ice capacity. Gold on oak exterior.....\$39.75

\$1 Weekly Delivers Any Refrigerator

Fiction—Fashions Household Topics and Women's Features

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1930.



THE NEW SUPREME COURT JUSTICE

New portrait of John Johnson Parker of Charlotte, N. C., named to succeed the late Edward T. Sanford on Nation's highest tribunal.



\$5 Down Delivers S-TUBE Majestic

SALE SAMPLE RADIOS

Prices Quoted Less Taxes

\$117.35 S-Tube All-Electric Radio.....\$71.25
S-Tube RCA 25 Console Model.....\$71.50
S-Tube RCA Cabinet Model.....\$79.50
\$120.00 S-Tube Halikite Highboy.....\$90.00
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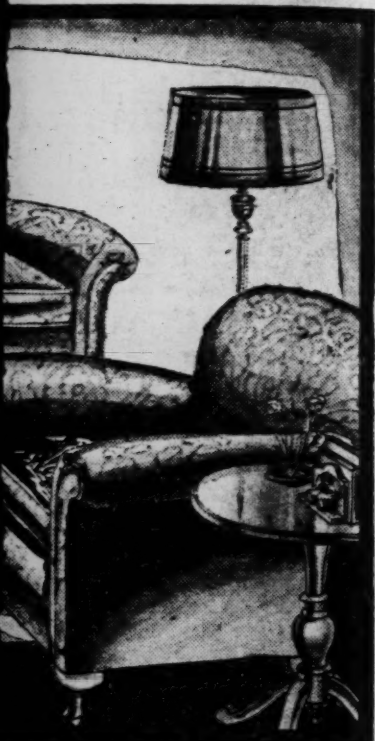
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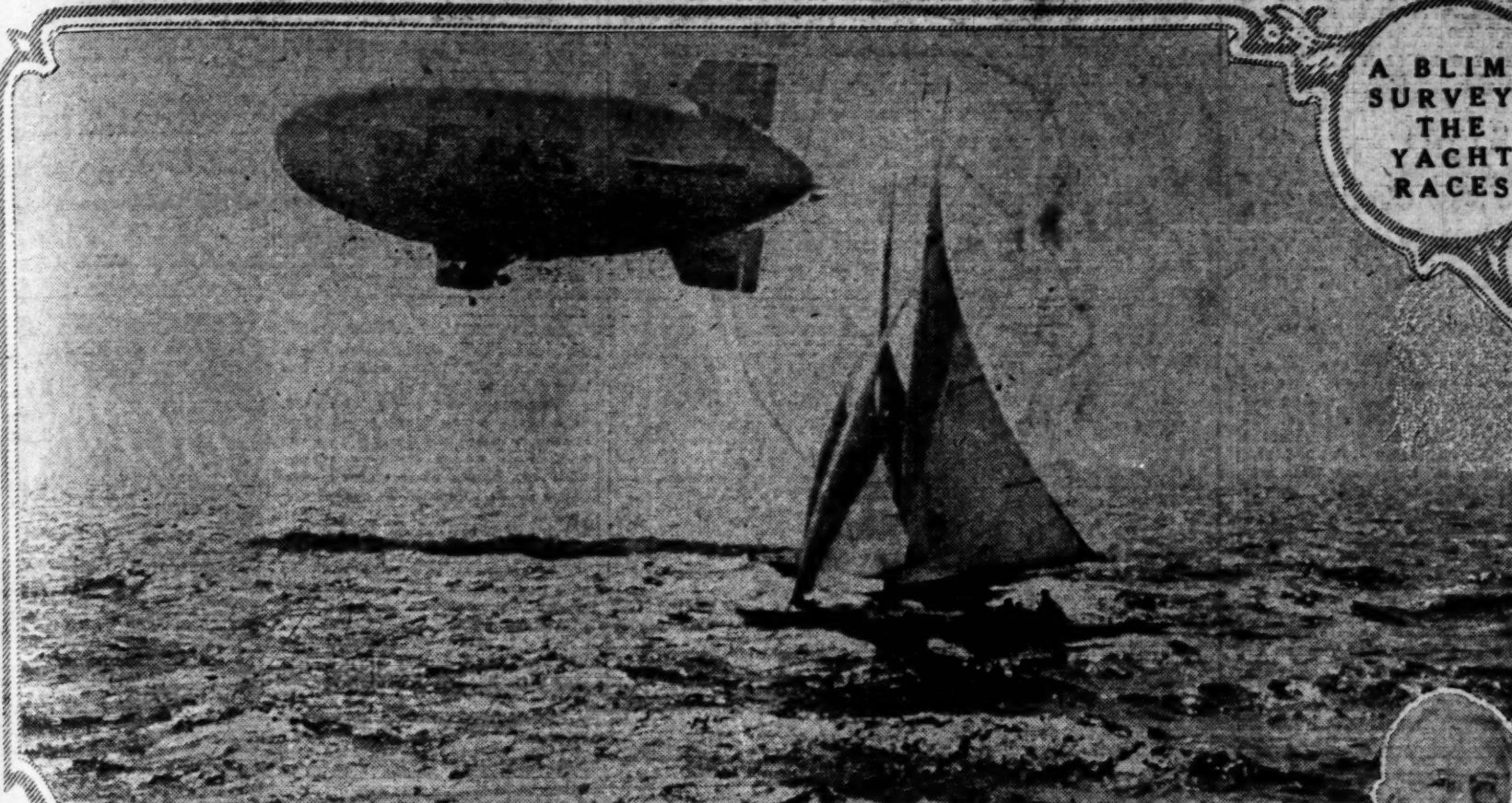
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A BLIMP SURVEYS THE YACHT RACES



AFTER THE VERDICT OF ACQUITTAL
Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Doheny receiving congratulations at end of his trial in Washington on charge of bribery. At left, Mr. Doheny's attorney, Frank J. Hogan.



THE NEW SUPREME COURT JUSTICE

New portrait of John Johnson Parker of Charlotte, N. C., named to succeed the late Edward T. Sanford on Nation's highest tribunal.



IT HAPPENED IN FRISCO
Huge water main, on top of hill, broke and poured a torrent of water down one of the thoroughfares, burying in mud an automobile which was parked at the foot of steep highway.



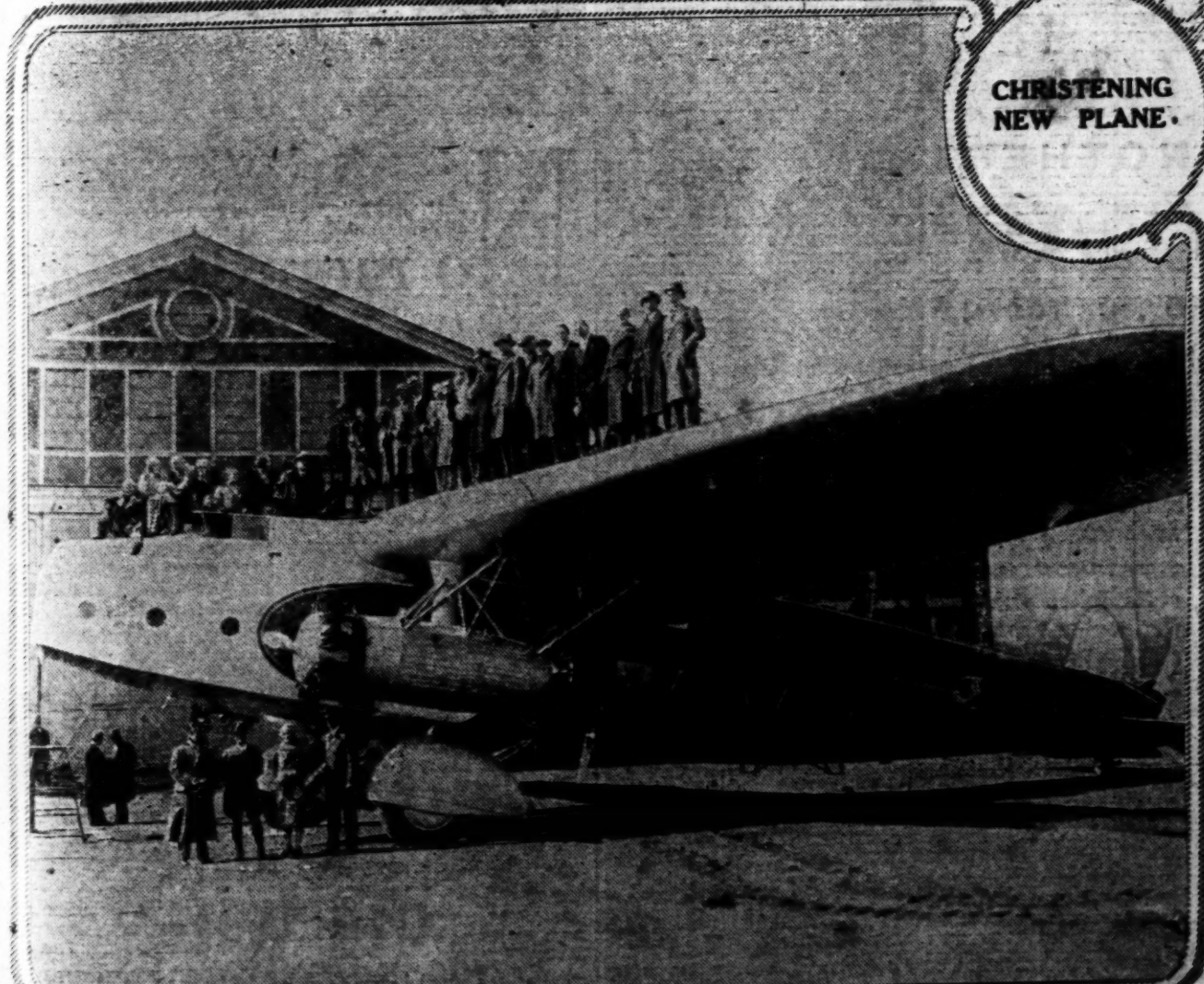
NEW HEAD OF SALVATIONISTS

Gen. Edward John Higgins photographed in Sweden on tour of inspection.



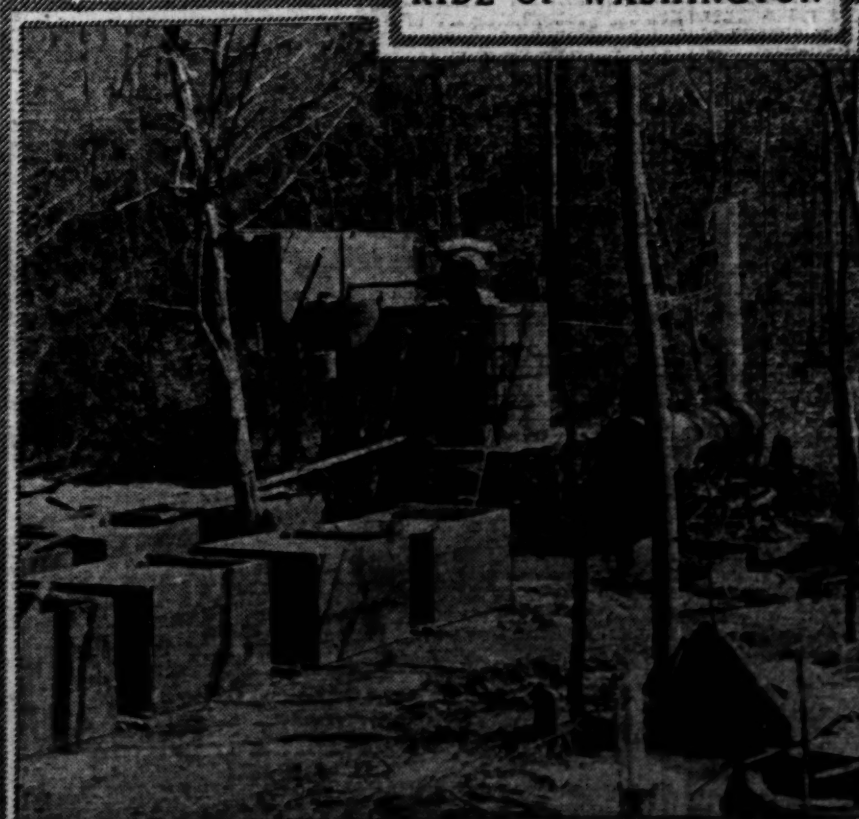
TERRIER RESCUED FROM UNDERGROUND PIT

Blackie, pursuing a rat in basement on North Euclid avenue, got wedged into a hole six feet under sidewalk where she was rescued by Humane Society workers, 44 hours after puppy, by whimpering, gave clue to her mother's whereabouts. —By Post-Dispatch staff photographer



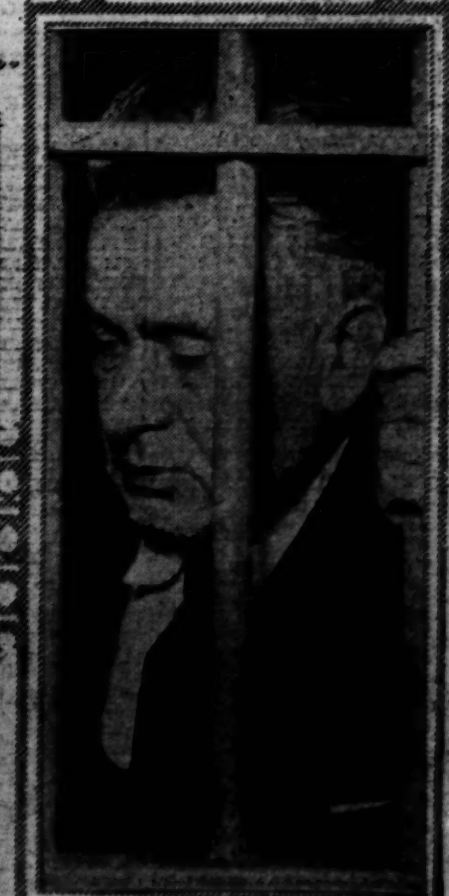
CHRISTENING NEW PLANE.

Biggest aircraft ever built in this country, the Fokker-32, completed at Teterboro airport, New Jersey.



WITHIN AN HOUR'S RIDE OF WASHINGTON
Big distilling plant found in a clump of woods about 25 miles from the Nation's capital and destroyed by dry agents. —Associated Press photo.

AN ARTIST IN LIMBO



Henry Marchand of the Buffalo Science Museum, holds a material witness in the ouija board-witch Indian model murder case. —Associated Press photo.

Women Follow Efforts
To Cut Chicago's Crime

INTERESTED spectators of Chicago's effort to wipe out crime are members of the Chicago Women's Club, which established Chicago's first juvenile court. The club is 54 years old and has played an active part in civic welfare projects. It maintained the first vocational adviser in the public schools and supported vacation schools for 12 years.

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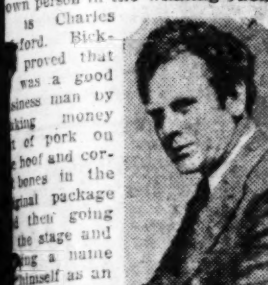
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Behind the Screens

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uct. Like the worm, the movie public at last has turned. In consequence, few, if any, studios now are glorifying the broken heart of the chorus Cin-derella, and none is concerned in the least over the ambition of the small-timer to play the Palace in New York.

Aside from occasional revues, a few musical comedies after the new style of the screen, and numerous operettas, the studios are sticking to plain comedy and drama, with especial emphasis, at present, on outdoor pictures and "special" westerns, which, of course, have no use for chorus girls.

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LOUIS BERETTI--Gangster

By Donald Henderson Clarke
Author of "In the Reign of Rostein"

The galloping story of the career of a juvenile enemy of the law--Born in the throes of a Chinatown battle, successively thief, dope peddler, bootlegger, gunman, Louis finally turns on his "mob" and crashes the front page as the heroic avenger of society in a sensational kidnapping.

CHAPTER XIV.

THE bride kissed Ma, whose leather cheeks would have blushed if they had a blush left. In them, and then the bride whispered to Louis, and Louis went over and kissed his mother. A feeble movement of one of her hands was the only trace that existed of what she had instinctively intended to be a shove for Louis.

She hadn't been much of a kisser--had Ma Beretti. She had been too busy tending store, and looking after her home and the family.

Peter, who had grown fat with prosperity, and his wife who had grown fat along with him, and John, and the girls, were all dressed up for the occasion, and so was Pa, who had on a shiny black suit, stiff collar and black, tied-at-the-factory cravat. But their spirits weren't so very high. They talked in subdued voices in the bedroom. Pa talked about the house in Westchester.

"It is costing a lot of money," he said, "but I am doing it for my wife. Now I have got the kitchen fixed with one of those sinks with a place to wash dishes on one side with electricity, and to wash the clothes on the other side with electricity. My wife can just press a button, and watch the work get done while she sits. Also the furnace works by oil."

He gestured widely with his hands, drawing diagrams in air of the various ingenuities he was having installed. The hardwood floors would save Ma a lot of work, too. And he was even thinking of a garden that Ma could watch grow. His thoughts of Ma were tinged with the idea of work--even if it were in a negative sense.

"But, of course, I am going to have a woman to do the work until my wife gets better," he boasted. "Aw, can it," Louis said finally. "Let's get along to work."

They said good-by to Ma, and went out and got into their automobiles to make the trip. The automobile had been bought with money from the liquor, Louis and Peter and John all had sedans, and they were of the same make.

LOUIS' mid-town place was a restaurant called the Cellar Door, and they had their wedding feast there. Enormous quantities of food were eaten, and a large number of rather poor and questionable jokes were told at the bride and groom. Louis drank a bit too much, but it was the ordinary rather restrained Peter who was the life of the party.

Peter had left the street cleaning department after the first speaking was a success, and was devoting himself with tremendous energy to the enterprise. He had inherited all of his mother's thrift, but he had an eagle eye for a stolen drink or a wasted pretzel. Now, however, he was on a real holiday, and profligate might be a good word with which to describe his attitude.

He insisted on buying drinks for everyone who came into the restaurant while the party was in progress.

"What do you want? Is everybody happy? Is everybody happy?" he kept saying. "We only live once," he kept saying.

Peter had raised a mighty stomach, which was strung with gold chain with large links. From the middle of the chain an Elk's tooth dangled, like an unfortunate Alpine climber who had slipped while assaying a dangerous steep, and now hung suspended in mid-air. The elk's tooth was at least a foot from the nearest portion of its master's anatomy when its master was standing. Only when Peter sat down did the tooth get repose on one of Peter's knees. Fortunately for the tooth, Peter sat down a great deal.

Peter had had gray eyes, and the large expressionless face of an Alderman or a prosperous saloon-keeper of the old days. He might have been created expressly for the job, that had fallen to him, which was overseeing the details of a retail liquor business.

Louis got the liquor in various ways, and arranged for the protection. He cut the whisky and made the gin, from the very be-

ginning using only alcohol that had been tested by a chemist. Louis instantly had recognized the man as Sam Cohen, at the moment the most publicized of the prohibition enforcement raiders. Almost daily the newspapers carried an account of the latest exploit of Sam and his partner, Cosy Brown. Sam and Cosy became quasi-humorous figures. Newspaper columnists used them for glib material; special writers amused themselves by writing humorous stories about them; and both Sam and Cosy loved it. They were supposed to be unapproachable, so far as influence or bribes were concerned.

"Just sit still and don't worry," Louis said to Margaret. "I gotta see what these buns want." "What the hell do you want coming in here like this?" Louis asked Sam Cohen. "Who are you?"

"Don't get excited. Mr. Beretti," Sam Cohen explained, "I'm Sam Cohen, perhaps you have heard of me, and I've got a search warrant for this place."

"Let's see it," Louis demanded. A glance showed him that one Joseph Peters being sworn, had deposed that he had bought drinks in the restaurant called the Cellar Door, at 75 cents the drink. Louis was reading the search warrant, and when Cosy Brown appeared at the service door and called:

"We got some stuff here, but there may be more: we're going to look good."

Louis eyed Sam Cohen with hate in his heart and disgust in his eyes. Sam was a little, untidy individual. His sparse mouse colored hair under his old derby was matted; his old striped green shirt was faded and soiled; his collar was gray, and there were black rims under his ranged finger nails. His shaggy, hungry black eyes of a ferret weren't set any too far apart. His shoes, even, looked as if they hadn't been shined for days. And any real, who were busy opening closets and sounding walls, and probing in pots out in the kitchen, would find more plunder.

Then the telephone rang. Louis, who had been waiting impatiently for the tinkle of the bell, picked up the receiver.

"Hello, this is Coyle. What is the matter?"

"Didn't Peter tell you?"

"Sure. Put that Jew bum on the telephone, and I'll tell him something. I would've talked to him before but I never got around to it."

"All right, Jim."

Louis turned to Sam Cohen and said:

"Telephone for you, Sam."

"Who is it?" Sam asked.

"I dunno," Louis said. "What the hell do I know about your business?"

"Hello, hello," said Sam. "Who is this?"

"Oh, Mr. Coyle," he said. "How are you, Mr. Coyle?"

"Yes, Mr. Coyle."

"No, no, I can't."

"I couldn't."

"Well, maybe it could be arranged."

"Yes, Mr. Coyle."

"All right. Good-by, Mr. Coyle."

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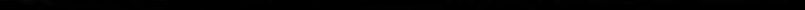
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